

THE WEATHER
Showers tonight, be-
coming fair Sunday;
cooler tonight.

SWIMMING POOL
PWA grant for pool in
Dixon will be asked
early next week.

FORMER DIXON MAN KILLED WIFE AND HIMSELF

HEAVY RAINFALL CAUSES DAMAGES IN MIDDLE-WEST

Tracks Washed Out and Corn Fields Flattened in Some Sections

Chicago, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Heavy rains that washed out railroad tracks, flattened corn fields and flooded streets and basements in sections of the midwest continued today, but relief from baking temperatures in other parts of the area was in sight.

Forecaster C. A. Donnell said showers and cooling winds from the west would rout abnormal heat from central and southern Illinois and central and western Indiana tomorrow.

New Burnside, Ill., recorded 100 degrees yesterday and Springfield and Havana, 98. Evansville and Terre Haute, Ind., were high for that state with 94 degrees. A lake breeze kept the reading in Chicago down to 71. Wisconsin generally was cool, although the mercury reached 82 degrees at Prairie Du Chien.

Tracks Washed Out
Rain-flooded streams washed out tracks in several Minnesota and western Wisconsin points yesterday and today. A cloudburst filled some streets in Canton, Ill., with three feet of water and disrupted electric service. A bolt of lightning at Lebanon, Ill., last night killed Lester Hickman, 20, the only Negro student in McKendree college. High winds on Lake Michigan ripped a 31-foot sloop from its moorings at Chicago, driving the craft against a stone breakwater.

RUSH REPAIRS
Minneapolis, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Railroad workmen rushed repairs on track washouts at several Minnesota and western Wisconsin points today as farmers resumed crop and livestock damage resulting from a succession of downpours.

The latest of the heavy rains that have drenched the section intermittently since early in the week fell in central Minnesota, just south of Minneapolis. Sand creek yesterday. At Jordan, sand creek went out of its banks, mauling motorists, blanketing virtually the entire little community with sand and silt, and flattening corn fields. More than twenty families were evacuated from their homes.

Train Hits Washout
Near Hudson, Wis., a wrecking crew worked over the debris left when the Northwestern road's 10-car Victory train hit a washout early yesterday, killing the engineer in his cab and fatally injuring the news vendor, August Rieck, 66. Minneapolis, was trapped in his engine cab when the train plowed into the 100-foot deep washout. Albert Newstrand, 21, St. Paul, the vendor, died in a St. Paul hospital several hours later.

Six box cars were derailed when a freight train hit a washout on the Soo Line near Amery, Wis. No one was injured. Another washout was under repair on the Milwaukee tracks near Northfield, Minn.; another on the same line near Castle Rock, Minn., and another, on the Northwestern road, near Rochester, Minn.

CLOUDBURST AT CANTON
Canton, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—A cloudburst that followed 97-degree heat last night filled streets in some sections of the city with three feet of water and cut out electric service, darkening this community.

Arthur Wright, government weather observer, said two and one-half inches of rain fell during the two-hour downpour. The temperature dropped to 73 degrees.

The Big Creek dam, southwest of the business district, gave city officials concern over the possibility that it might collapse, flooding the municipal wells and contaminating the water supply. Dan Wallace, city engineer, said the bulkhead was weakened by high water.

Bella Johnson, superintendent of streets, estimated the new sewage disposal plant under construction had been damaged to the extent of \$10,000. Crop damage in outlying sections was reported heavy.

Logan Jacob Page, 79, Died this Morn

Logan Jacob Page, 79, passed away at his home at 607 N. Hennepin avenue at 8:30 this morning after an illness of six months. Mr. Page was born in Benton, Ill., in 1859.

He is survived by three children: Fred of Dixon, Mrs. Pearl Jones of Gary, Ind., and Mrs. Blanche Sadler of Paxton, Ill. Mrs. Page preceded him in death 22 years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in Benton and burial will be in the cemetery there.

Just a Test Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—Secretary of State Edward J. Hughes assured Illinois motorists today they wouldn't have to submit photographs in order to get their new drivers' licenses.

On license application blanks to be issued next week is a small space for the applicant's picture, but Hughes said this was provided merely "as a test to discover if the motorist public desires this added protection."

He said it would be helpful to motorists and police if photos were attached to licenses, but made clear the law doesn't require it and said he did not wish "to go outside the law to dictate such a requirement."

Licenses, required after May 1 next year, will be issued until that date upon the recognition of the applicant without examination, except for special cause.

OIL MAN'S WIFE TELLS OF FALL OUT OF WINDOW

Mattoon, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—Dr. W. F. Stafford said Mrs. Maxine Lake whispered in a brief moment of consciousness yesterday that her plunge from a fourth floor hotel window Thursday was accidental.

The 20-year-old bride of three months suffered a broken back in the fall. A few moments after her body struck the street, her husband, M. E. Lake, died in a plunge from the same window.

Dr. Stafford said Mrs. Lake told him she slipped and fell from the window.

Lake, who was 35, had come to Mattoon in connection with an oil development. He was vice president of the Coast Line Oil Corporation and the Lincoln Petroleum company of San Antonio, Texas.

Coroner F. S. Schilling recessed an inquest after six persons testified yesterday. He said it would be re-opened when Mrs. Lake was able to testify. Four business associates testified the couple had quarreled in a tavern the evening prior to the tragedy.

First Concrete in New Bridge will be Poured in Few Days

Reports from the temporary office of the Shappert Engineering Company here today indicated that cement would be shipped from Wabash, Ind., to be used in the construction of the new stream-lined Galena avenue bridge. Previously, it had been announced that the cement would be obtained from the Dixon plant of the Mesuda cement company. Officials of the Shappert company stated today that a contract for the purchase of Mesuda cement had not been signed.

The contractor expects to start pouring concrete for the pier before the end of next week and sand and gravel are now being stored in the bins, and all arrangements are being completed to begin pouring within a few days.

Mattoon Man Named State Charity Head

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—Governor Horner announced today the appointment of A. J. Brumleve of Mattoon to be state superintendent of charities, a code office unfilled since 1933.

The superintendent of charities is administrator within the department of welfare for all of the 22 state hospitals and institutions other than prisons. The post carries a salary of \$4,500.

Brumleve has been chief clerk in the welfare department.

High School Students and Motor- ists Appealed to by Commissioner

Parents of high school students and motorists are asked to co-operate in an effort to prevent accidents and possible loss of life on North Peoria avenue between Boyd street and Lincoln Statue Drive, Commissioner Cal G. Tyler informed the city council at the regular weekly meeting last evening that he was gravely concerned for the welfare of the high school students after making a personal observation of traffic conditions on North Peoria avenue.

He appealed to the other members of the council to observe conditions during the next week, and suggested an ordinance prohibiting the parking of automobiles on the west side of North Peoria avenue from Boyd street to Lincoln Statue Drive.

HINES' WITNESS IS SENSATION OF DAY'S TRIAL

Tells of Previous Effort to Indict Tammany Dist. Leader

New York, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Lyon Boston, New York lawyer, an assistant to William Copeland Dodge, former district attorney, testified in the Hines trial today that the famous 1935 "runaway" grand jury bolted over the desire of certain jurors to indict Tammany district leader James J. Hines.

The witness disclosed that the jury balked at continuing its investigation under District Attorney Dodge when Dodge's assistants advised them there was "no valid evidence" against Hines at that time.

The "runaway" jury's protest led to the appointment of Thomas E. Dewey, now district attorney, and prosecutor in the current trial of Hines on conspiracy-theory charges, as a special racket-busting prosecutor. He was appointed at the virtual insistence of Gov. Herbert H. Lehman.

Sought to Block Dewey
James D. C. Murray, noted criminal lawyer, had testified previously that Hines agreed to "see" about blocking the appointment of Dewey because the youthful rackets crusader was "too tough" and would "ruin" the \$200,000-a-year Dutch Schultz policy racket.

Boston said that the March, 1935, grand jury foreman wanted to indict Hines on the strength of testimony by Martin Mooney, New York newspaperman, who swore he overheard a telephone conversation between an arrested policy banker and a man addressed as "Jimmy."

Mooney, however, had been unable to identify the man called "Jimmy" as James J. Hines.

Boston said Lee Thompson Smith, the grand jury foreman, asked him whether he did not believe sufficient evidence existed to indict Hines in connection with the policy racket. Boston said he informed Smith that there was "not enough competent evidence."

The sensational turn in Boston's testimony, as a witness for the defense, came after he had declared that Dodge himself ordered the investigation of Hines in 1934.

Weed Extermination Like Charity, Begins At Home Says Voice

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—A telephone rang in the office of Attorney General Otto Kerner and a woman's voice piped: "I think there's some marijuana growing out at Henry Lloyd's place."

She referred to James H. Lloyd, the state director of agriculture whose home is near the state fairgrounds. The phone call followed a warning by Kerner that farmers must destroy the narcotic weed or be subject to prosecution.

Director Lloyd, who also heads the state weed control committee, refused to be embarrassed. "Yes, there's some wild hemp growing out there in spite of all we've done to kill it," he said. "But it's pretty puny."

House Stolen Minneapolis, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Theft of a house belonging to the city had police worried today.

The house had reverted for non-payment of taxes. When Andrew Crumney, tax investigator, went to inspect it in North Minneapolis he couldn't find the structure.

Neighbors said the house was demolished and hauled away three weeks ago.

Peak hour in which traffic is dangerously heavy because of the closing of the Galena avenue bridge is between 12:15 and 1:15 P. M. City police are not always available because of other duties, the commissioner added, and their services were also required at other schools in the city. The commissioner urged parents of students to warn their children against taking dangerous chances in crossing the streets and appealed to motorists to exercise the utmost caution in driving on North Peoria avenue.

The council granted a permit to T. B. Van Matre to conduct a second hand store at 91 Hennepin avenue and the regular monthly bills were paid.

TYDINGS QUOTES ROOSEVELT ON "INTERFERENCE"

Baltimore, Sept. 10. — (AP)—

Senator Millard E. Tydings placed President Roosevelt's words of eight years ago into Maryland's senatorial campaign record to show, he said, that the chief executive at that time opposed federal "interference" in state elections.

Quoting the president directly last night, in a statewide broadcast, his first since Roosevelt's Labor Day speech at Denton, Tydings drew the immediate fire of his New Deal opponent, Rep. David J. Lewis, who took the air 90 minutes later to defend the president's "right" to visit Maryland.

The cross-fire campaign addresses presaged a whirlwind climax to the political fight—bitterness in the Free State's history—which ends Monday with an election which registration figures indicate will draw a record vote.

Referring to the president by name for the first time in the campaign, Tydings called "to the witness chair our present president, Franklin Delano Roosevelt," who, he said, as governor of New York eight years ago asserted in a public address:

"We in this state (New York) in every city and on every farm, know the high improbability of interference by the federal government in the purely local affairs of any state, and we are fully conscious of the effective manner in which the people of this great state will at the polls show their resentment against such conduct."

NO NEW ACTION BY BRITAIN IN PRESENT CRISIS

Prime Minister Denies Statements Current Through Empire

London, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain, in the midst of conferences with cabinet ministers, opposition leaders and critics from his own party, moved brusquely today to quell a welter of excited speculation over what Britain is going to do to "stop Hitler."

An official statement from No. 10 Downing street said:

"In view of statements which have appeared in the last day or so regarding reported decisions of the ministry it can be stated authoritatively that no such statements should be regarded as authentic."

Later a foreign office spokesman said no new note had been sent to Germany and no new instructions had been given to Sir Neville Henderson, the British ambassador, now at Nurnberg, where Chancellor Adolf Hitler of Germany is attending the Nazi party congress.

The statement disposed of two reports widely current in London. One of these reports was that Britain was sending a note to Hitler telling him she would not stand aside if German troops marched into Czechoslovakia.

Another was that Henderson would be given new orders to confer with the fuhrer and convince him there was no bluff in repeated veiled warnings from London.

Speculation Heightened
This speculation was heightened by naval orders for full crews to man reserve mine-layers and a flotilla of mine-sweeping sloops as precautionary measures.

While confusing reports circulated on what Britain would or would not do to make Hitler realize Britain believes in the territorial integrity of the Czechoslovak republic and that she will be unable to stay out of any real conflict over the issue, conferences went on at the prime minister's residence.

The official statement was issued at the end of one conference with Major Clement Attlee, Labor leader, Winston Churchill, the famous Tory rebel also was there, along with key cabinet members.

Earlier United States Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy called upon Foreign Minister Viscount Halifax at the foreign office.

Sirens Ordered

Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Home Secretary Samuel Hoare—who is in charge of British air-raid precautions in connection with which 100 warning sirens were ordered last night—were Chamberlain's first callers. Lord Halifax visited him later.

The new naval orders found the home fleet in the North Sea; the battle cruiser Repulse and the 4th destroyer flotilla at Portland, England's "Helmoland" at the western end of the English channel, and the large battle cruiser Hood at the key point, Gibraltar.

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Is Out Again Hugh McKay, Ill. of Polo, formerly of Dixon, who has been serving a sentence of one year at the Vandalia state work farm, escaped yes- terday afternoon about 3:30 with other prisoners, accord- ing to a radio report received by state highway police and local authorities last evening. McKay escaped from two deputies in the Ottawa, Ill., court house about a month ago after having been sen- tenced in the county court.

At that time, another prisoner accompanied him on his sprint for liberty. He came to Dixon and sought refuge in the home of friends who informed police of McKay's presence and acting upon advice, returned him to the sheriff at Ottawa.

Terse News

MINOR ACCIDENT

At 12:30 this morning police were called to the 900 block on First street where cars belonging to Orville Gentry and C. R. Brown had figured in a collision. The machines were damaged but the occupants uninjured.

HIGHWAY OPEN

Patrons of attractions at the Dixon Airport are advised that the highway between Dixon and the port is open. Belief that the road has been closed in the replacement operations has been reflected in the attendance at events there.

GIRLS REPORTED

Priscilla Williams, 15, and Georgia Spencer, 16, high school girls who have been missing since Thursday, communicated with relatives from Chicago late yesterday afternoon. The girls requested the relatives to come to 7672 Exchange avenue, Chicago, and return them to their homes.

AT CONVENTION

Dr. A. M. McNicol was in Sheffield Thursday afternoon and evening of this week attending a tri-district convention. Over 50 were in attendance. Conservative treatment of the sinuses and the tonsils was discussed during the afternoon session. A very sumptuous dinner was served at the Methodist church after which an interesting forum was conducted by the president.

CAFE ROBBED

Police were called to the Cozy cafe at 314 First street this morning to investigate a robbery in which about \$40 was reported to have been taken. A rear window had been broken and the place ransacked. The money had been hidden beneath a counter and there was evidence that the cash register had been ransacked. The thief evidently sustained deep cuts in breaking the window as blood was smeared over the cash register.

STILL IN FAMILY

Chicago, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Four months ago Mrs. Edna Risen, 25, divorced Edwin Risen, she said he had failed to fulfill her ideal of a husband. Yesterday she obtained a license to wed Edwin's brother, Walter, 38.



(By The Associated Press)
For Chicago and vicinity: showers or thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight, becoming generally fair Sunday; somewhat cooler Sunday; mostly moderate southeast winds, becoming westerly.

Illinois: Showers and local thunderstorms in south tonight or Sunday and in north this afternoon or tonight; becoming generally fair Sunday; cooler Sunday and in extreme northwest tonight.

Wisconsin: Showers and thunderstorms this afternoon and tonight, and probably in north portion Sunday; becoming generally fair in south Sunday; somewhat cooler in southwest and south-central portions.

Iowa: Generally fair tonight and Sunday except thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight in east portion; cooler tonight and in extreme southeast Sunday.

OUTLOOK FOR WEEK

Chicago, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Weather outlook for the period September 12 to 17:

Great Lakes: Showers beginning of week in east portion, probably general shower period within latter half of week; temperatures normal or higher for most part.

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys and the northern and central Great Plains, mostly fair beginning of week followed by shower period by middle or with in latter half; temperatures normal or higher for most part.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES
For the 24 hours ending at 7 A. M. today: maximum 83, minimum 65. Precipitation .34 inches, total for month to date 5.24 inches.

Sunday, sun rises at 5:35; sets at 6:18. Monday: rises at 5:36; sets at 6:16.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND NAZIS TAKE STAND IN CRISIS

Nations Search for Way to Peace Amid War Preparations

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Germany and Czechoslovakia took apparently irreconcilable stands today while their neighbors searched for a way to save Europe's peace and fearfully prepared against war.

Czechoslovak officials declared the Prague government had done its utmost to appease the Nazi-supported demands of its Sudeten German minority and could go no further. Negotiations between the government and Sudetens were resumed today.

Nazi spokesmen in Nurnberg said Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler now demands nothing less than German annexation of Czechoslovakia's Sudeten German area and its 3,500,000 inhabitants.

The fuhrer repeated strong declarations regarding German solidarity before 60,000 uniformed Hitler boys and girls.

"Germany will stand united, come what may," he shouted.

Two hopes for preserving peace were given greatest weight. One was the possibility that Sir Neville Henderson, British ambassador to Germany, might tell the fuhrer directly that Britain was not bluffing in her hint she might go to Czechoslovakia's aid against invasion.

Other Possibility
The other was the suggestion in Paris that invasion of Czechoslovakia could be prevented by reorganization of the Central European republic as a federated state.

But in London official statements denied the authenticity of reported decisions reached by the British government to send a strong note direct to Hitler or to issue new instructions to the British ambassador now at Nurnberg.

Both separately and collectively, however, the nations of Europe looked to their defenses. Air Minister Hermann Wilhelm Goering praised Germany's air force as the best in the world in a speech at the Nazi party congress.

Britain and France, against the determined opposition of the Scandinavian nations, the Netherlands and Belgium, opened a campaign at Geneva to preserve the article of the League of Nations covenant which provides for punitive measures against aggressor nations.

Spanish War See-Saws

The Spanish war see-sawed. In a week's fighting, marked by the opening of an insurgent offensive, government lines were forced back both on the Ebro front in southern Catalonia and on the front north of Valencia. Government forces braced, however, and recaptured some lost positions.

In China, Japan's forces pressed forward on both banks of the Yangtze river toward Hankow, provisional seat of the Chinese government, and against the Peiping-Hankow railroad to the north. But strong Chinese resistance made the week's progress slow.

GET READY

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Sept. 10. — (AP)—President Eduard Benes in a calm and reassuring voice broadcast to the Czechoslovak nation today an appeal to

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Melton Party

Mt. Auburn, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—It didn't matter to Preston Clark that fire destroyed the barn with a \$2,000 loss on his farm near here. He went ahead yesterday with his second annual watermelon party for 250 Mt. Auburn school children. "Fire never touched a melon," he explained.

War Over Body Canton, Ill., Sept. 10. — (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Seymour asked an injunction yesterday in circuit court to prevent removal of their son's body from a grave in Greenwood cemetery.

They alleged their son's former wife, now Mrs. Alpha Palace of East Peoria, Ill., had refused them permission to erect a marker over the grave, had removed flowers from it and had said she would move the body to East Peoria.

The Seymours' son, Don, was killed in April, 1937, in a motoring accident.

PHILADELPHIA MAYOR FACED WITH CHARGES

Philadelphia, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Davis Wilson, entering the second half of his term as mayor of the nation's third largest city—a term marked by stormy municipal and political fights—was confronted with a grand jury indictment charging him on 49 counts with "misbehavior in office."

The 57-year-old cigar-smoking mayor, who rose from an obscure job in the city controller's office, and four top-ranking police officers were indicted yesterday on evidence supplied by a special grand jury which has been investigating vice and gambling in Philadelphia for nearly a year.

Wilson was named in 21 true bills accusing him of "wilfully and negligently failing to suppress gambling houses and book-making establishments" and with "dissuading, hindering and preventing witnesses from appearing" before a legislative committee which recently completed a study of criminal procedure in Pennsylvania.

The police officers were charged with failing to suppress gambling.

Also indicted were 142 unidentified persons, all charged with gambling.

Harmon's Taverns Close Tomorrow

Taverns of Harmon will close at 12:30 tonight to remain closed until 6 o'clock Monday morning. Mayor W. H. Kugler stated this afternoon. The action was taken following a meeting in the office of State's Attorney Edward A. Jones earlier in the week. Mayor Kugler stated that the village ordinance at Harmon provided for Sunday closing, but added that this provision had never been enforced. State's Attorney Jones summoned the town board to meet at his office following an automobile wreck two weeks ago, when one man was killed and two others badly injured.

"I have just talked to the tavern keepers and they have promised to close tomorrow," Mayor Kugler told the Telegraph this afternoon. "This action is temporary, however, and later we expect that the taverns will be permitted to reopen on Sundays, at least for a part of the day," he added.

The Harmon mayor stated that the members of the town board did not agree to close the taverns at the meeting at the state's attorney's office earlier in the week.

Coroner Segner in an Accident Friday

Dr. Kenyon B. Segner sustained painful bruises but fortunately escaped serious injury yesterday afternoon while speeding to Franklin Grove to conduct a double inquest. When on the Lincoln Highway detour in front of the Dysart farm one mile south of Nacusa, his car skidded in loose gravel at a curve, and rolled into a ditch.

The car struck a dirt embankment which prevented its rolling over. The coroner and a passenger sustained bruises, but were able to proceed in the car to Franklin Grove.

City, Park Commission, Love- land Trustees Seek PWA Grant

A meeting of the city commission, the trustees of the Loveland Community House fund and the Dixon Park District Commission at the city hall last night resulted in the naming of a committee to confer with PWA officials with the view of negotiating a government grant for the construction of a swimming pool as an additional project in connection with the Community House, but separate from the Loveland Community Building. The committee is composed of Commissioner Cal G. Tyler, City Atty. Jerald Jones, City District Attorney Geo. C. Dixon, Attorney Robert Warner for the

JAMES FIELDING MURDERER AND SUICIDE FRIDAY

Tragedy Occurred in Bed- room at Their Home in Franklin Grove

James Fielding, 32-year-old state highway department maintenance worker living in the east section of Franklin Grove, yesterday afternoon murdered his wife, Hazel Louise Fielding, 25, by shooting her in the back of the head, then suicided by shooting himself in the temple. The murder and suicide occurred in an upstairs bedroom at the Fielding home about 4 o'clock, while three small children of the couple played about the house. Mrs. Fielding's mother, Mrs. Louise Seidell, sitting on the porch of a neighbor's home, heard the screams of her daughter before the act was committed.

Mrs. Seidell was the first to reach the Fielding home and upon entering, found the surroundings to be perfectly quiet and when she climbed the steps to the bedrooms on the second floor, she discovered the two bodies lying on the floor, one on each side of a bed, and a rifle near Fielding's body. She summoned Dr. Frank M. Banker, who responded at once and upon examining the bodies, pronounced both to be dead and Dr. Kenyon B. Segner, coroner, of this city, was notified.

Evidence of Struggle

There was evidence that Mrs. Fielding had struggled with her husband in the low-ceilinged bedroom, probably attempting to wrest the 22-caliber rifle from his hands. Two bullet holes were in the ceiling of the room. Falling to wrest the weapon from him, she apparently rushed across the room, when he prevented her escape by standing before the door, and she may have tried to leave the room through a window, near which her body lay.

Mrs. Seidell sobbed as she related the domestic situation which has existed in the Fielding home. "They had been quarreling terribly and he had been drinking so. He came home and she wasn't there, she having gone down town to get groceries. He left, then came back and she was there. I was over at Mrs. Altenberg's, sitting on the porch and I heard Hazel scream. I came over to the house and walked in, but everything was quiet. Then I went upstairs and there they lay in the bedroom. He hadn't gone to his work today and they quarreled this morning, too."

Former Dixons.
This was the only testimony given before the coroner's jury which returned a verdict of death due to a gunshot wound, inflicted by the husband, James Fielding, in investigating the death of the young wife, and suicide in the case of the husband.

In investigating reports that Fielding had been drinking heavily, Dr. Segner questioned a tavern proprietor at Franklin Grove, who stated that Fielding had driven up in front of his place twice during the day, but had consumed only a small glass of beer. He added, however, that his condition indicated that he had partaken of other drinks previously.

Fielding and his family formerly resided in Dixon and for several years he has been employed as a member of the maintenance crew of the state highway department, working east of Dixon on the Lincoln Highway. The tragedy made orphans of three small children, Dennis Lee, 6; Joseph, 4; and Louise Ann, 18 months.

The funeral of Mrs. Fielding will be held at 2 P. M. Monday at the Hicks funeral parlors in Franklin Grove. Early this afternoon no arrangements had been made for Fielding's rites.

Attorney Robert L. Bracken recently filed an action for divorce, representing Mrs. Fielding, in which she charged drunkenness and cruelty. Mrs. Fielding was in Dixon yesterday morning to consult her attorney regarding her pending divorce action.

McNUTT COMING HOME

Washington, Sept. 10. — (AP)—Paul V. McNutt, high commissioner to the Philippines, is expected to sail for the United States within the next few months and it was said today in a high quarter that he would not return to his post.

McNutt has been proposed by some of his friends for the 1940 Democratic presidential nomination.

Building Improvements

SMALL HOMES • STORES • APARTMENTS • MODERNIZATION

by PAUL T. HAAGEN A.I.A.

Ventilators

In Foundation Wall

Foundation walls around that portion of the building left unexcavated should have proper and sufficient ventilating openings as a precaution or insurance against the destructive effects of dry rot, fungus, termites and other wood destroyers.

The ventilators should be well-constructed to exclude water and insects, but to allow a free passage of air. The average builder does not install enough of these ventilators. He may use one in the middle of each side of the house but it is much safer to provide additional ventilators so that each corner under the house is subject to a positive circulation of air.

Special attention should be given in this respect to portions under projecting bays, porches, etc., in which dead air would be pocketed.

The horns of the horned owl are formed of feathers.

MIAMI BEACH PICTURE WINDOW



From Miami Beach comes this practical Mediterranean type house. The living room and dining room extend through the house from front to back with the large picture window in the living room. Back of the garage is the kitchen and on the opposite end from the garage are the bedrooms and bath. Hester F. Freu, Designer.

Snakes will not swallow a hard egg, being able to tell the good ones from the bad by touching the shells with their tongues.

Compton Community

Mrs. Mary A. Donagh, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walter and children returned home Thursday from spending several days at the Albert Schiesing home.

Alfred Geis and Miss Patricia Hart of Chicago spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Engelhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walter and children spent Monday at Sandwich.

Miss Della Schnuckel and Miss Gertrude Moore motored to Chicago Monday. Miss Moore spent the summer at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schnuckel, Miss Schnuckel returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conroy and family of Dixon spent Sunday and Monday at the Otto Bettner home.

Billy Lee Carnahan returned home from spending the week at the Glenn Carnahan home in Chicago.

Norman Ogilvie of Aurora spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ogilvie.

Miss Hester Merriman of DeKalb is visiting relatives and friends in Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell of Chicago spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Holdren of Aurora visited over the week end at the Otto Bettner home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ogilvie and family and James Taylor visited over the week at Middleton, Tonica and Cedar Point and attended the ninth reunion at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bauer entertained at dinner Sunday Miss Esther Haefner and Gus Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Rhoads, daughter Catherine and Mrs. Harlow Olson spent Saturday evening at Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bealey Cox and family spent Sunday at the Amboy Park.

Mr. and Mrs. August Bettner, Otto Bettner and Mr. and Mrs. Jeanblanc and family spent Labor Day in Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carnahan of Chicago visited with relatives in Compton Saturday afternoon.

Hitler and blanked the Senators 2-0, as Iron Hoss Lou Gehrig collected four hits to boost his batting average over the .300 mark for the first time this year. That hitting spree was in the nature of a celebration of Gehrig's 2,100th consecutive game.

The Yankee triumph, coupled with defeats for both Boston and Cleveland, left murderers row 15 games in front in the American League, and needing only nine more victories to clinch the pennant. Boston ran into trouble against the Athletics and dropped a 4-3 decision, and Cleveland was cuffed around, 11-5, by the Detroit Tigers, paced by Hank Greenberg's 47th homer.

Claude Passeau pitched a six-hitter and the Phillies nipped the Boston Bees, 4-2.

Miss Edna Jorgensen of Aurora spent several days at the C. L. Ogilvie home.

Mrs. Ann Bernardin and Mrs. Elizabeth Buck spent Thursday in Chicago on business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Archer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Archer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Olson attended the Olson reunion in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Olson of Belingham, Minnesota, at Hopkins park, Sunday, in DeKalb.

SURPRISED ON BIRTHDAY
A group of relatives and friends surprised Mrs. Chris July in honor of her birthday which occurred Thursday. A picnic dinner was enjoyed at the Compton park and the afternoon was spent in visiting. Mrs. July received many nice gifts. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCann and family, Mrs. Minnie Ross, Clarence Ewald, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Eden and son Rodney of Steward, Miss Hester Merriman of DeKalb, Mr. and Mrs. Henry July, Mrs. Evelyn Ostewig and three children of Shaws, Duane July and Miss Ruth Scott of Belvidere, the Misses Marian, Juanita and Betty Jane July of Rochelle, Mr. and Mrs. Chris July, daughter Daisy and son Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Rhoads and daughter Catherine Charles Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pettys, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Olson, Mrs. Olla Donagh and Callie Miller.

CHANGE LIBRARY HOURS
The Compton school library is to be open on every school day afternoon and closed in the evenings.

ENJOYED FISHING TRIP
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bettner, Miss Erma Mireley, W. A. Metcalf, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Burley enjoyed a fishing trip over the week-end at Crooked lake, near Lake Villa, Illinois.

COUNSELORS ARE NAMED FOR WORK WITH BOY SCOUTS

Will Examine Boys in Requirements for Merit Badges

A new list of Merit Badge counselors for Dixon has just been completed by the advancement committee of which Judge Grover Gehant is chairman. These counselors will be available to the Scouts of Dixon to counsel with them and examine them in the requirements of the various subjects. The selections and appointments of the men to the various subjects were made by the committee at a meeting at the home of Enos Keithley, District Commissioner for Lee county. The following are on the advancement committee: Grover Gehant, Elwin Wadsworth, James C. Ryan, Fred Hoffman, and W. C. Kleaveland.

The following are the Merit Badge counselors and their subjects:

Agriculture, John Weiss and Vincent Slothower; Angling, Elwin Wadsworth and Guy Merriam; Animal Industry, John Weiss and Vincent Slothower; Archery, supplied upon request to District Commissioner; Architecture, Robert Reed and Murray Wentling; Art, N. H. Jensen and Robert Reed.

Astronomy
Astronomy, K. B. Segner; Athletics, A. C. Bowers and W. E. Beanblossom; Aviation, Dr. G. C. Moss; Basketry, Enos Keithley; Bee Keeping, see Enos Keithley; Beef Production, John Weiss; Bird Study, Jack Keegan; Blacksmithing, see Enos Keithley; Bookbinding, O. M. Rogers and Harold Esby; Botany, Enos Keithley; Bugling, W. W. Clark; Business, W. W. Clark and J. U. Weyant; Camping, Lloyd Lewis and O. F. Goeke; Canoeing, John Roe and Winston Edwards; Carpentry, James Vail and Charles Roundy; Cement work, Eddie Carlson; Chemistry, Richard Weyant; Civics, Grover Gehant, Elwin Bunnell and Elwin Wadsworth.

Conservation
Conservation, Jack Keegan; Coin collecting, see Enos Keithley; Cooking, Robert Warner; James Ketchin and the local scoutmasters; Corn farming, John Weiss and W. E. Beanblossom; Cycling, Albert Peterson; Dairying, Mr. Brown at Reynoldswood; Dramatics, B. J. Frazer; Electricity, Arthur Nelson and O. W. Dodd; Farm Home and Planning, John Weiss; Farm Layout, John Weiss; Farm Mechanics, W. H. Ware; Farm Records and Bookkeeping, John Weiss; Finger Printing, Ray Worsley; Firemanship, Sam Cramer.

First Aid
First Aid, James Palmer and Dan A. Brannigan; First Aid to Animals, Dr. R. R. Dwyre and Dr. E. F. Legner; Forestry, Harold Cook; Fruit Culture, Justin Darrah; Gardening, Enos Keithley; Handicraft, Walter Smith; Hiking, A. C. Bowers; Hog and Pork Production, John Weiss; Horse-manship, Dr. G. C. Moss; Indian Lore, Enos Keithley; Insect Life, Enos Keithley; Interpreting, see Enos Keithley; Journalism, Don Danielson; Landscape Gardening,

Harold Cook; Leathercraft, see field executive.

Life Saving
Life Saving, Jack Keegan and Kenneth Abbott; Machinery, Clyde Emmert; Marksmanship, Gus Wimpleberg; Masonry, Walter Smith; Mechanical Drawing, Charles Roundy; Metal Work, William Slothower; Music, W. W. Clark and Orville Westgor; Painting, W. C. Kleaveland and Gus Wimpleberg; Pathfinding, S. D. Schrock; Personal Health, Dr. J. L. Tavenner, Dr. Edward Murphy and Dr. Charles LeSage; Photography, Elwin Wadsworth, Arnold LeCour and Winston Edwards; Physical Development, A. C. Bowers; Pioneering, see field executive; Plumbing, Edward Witzleb and Otto Witzleb; Pottery, Carl Kling; Poultry Keeping, William Edwards.

Printing
Printing, Harry Moore; Public Health, Dr. J. B. Werren, Dr. H. J. McCoy and Dr. J. L. Tavenner; Public Speaking, B. J. Frazer; Radio, Wayne Wolf, Howard Hall and Walter Cronwell; Reading, B. J. Frazer; Reptile Study, Jack Keegan; Rocks and Minerals, Enos Keithley; Rowing, Harold Esby; Safety, James Palmer and Dan A. Brannigan; Salesmanship, Fred Hofmann; Scholarship, A. H. Lancaster; Sculpture, see Enos Keithley; Seamanship, J. Royal Fitzsimmons; Sheep Raising, see Enos Keithley.

Signaling
Signaling, Wayne Wolf; Soil Management, John Weiss; Stalking, LaVern McMillian; Stamp Collecting, W. S. Marloth and Clifford Archer; Surveying, Her-

bert Morton and C. J. McLean; Swimming, Jack Keegan and John Crabtree; Taxidermy, see Enos Keithley; Textiles, Joe Eichler; Weather, Paul Schuck; Wood Carving, Charles Roundy; Wood Turning, Charles Roundy; Wood Work, Charles Roundy; Zoology, see Enos Keithley.

Scouts who wish to pass Merit

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THEY ACCEPTED HIS INVITATION

Urbana, O.—(AP)—While fishing up in Canada recently Vincent Loverde, local merchant invited several of his northern acquaintances to "drop in" and see him sometime.

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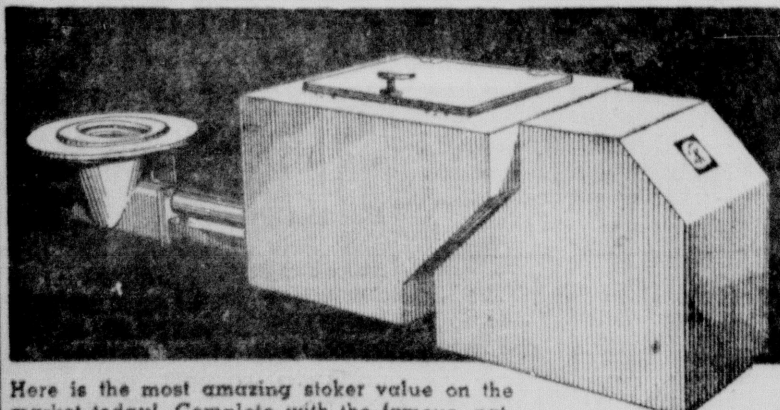
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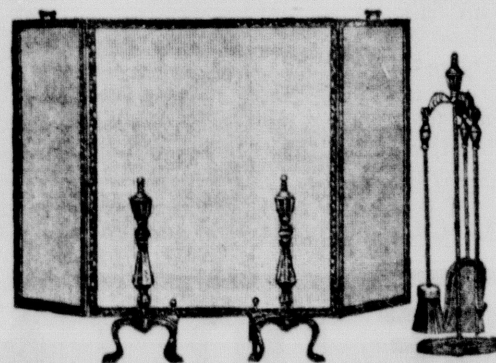
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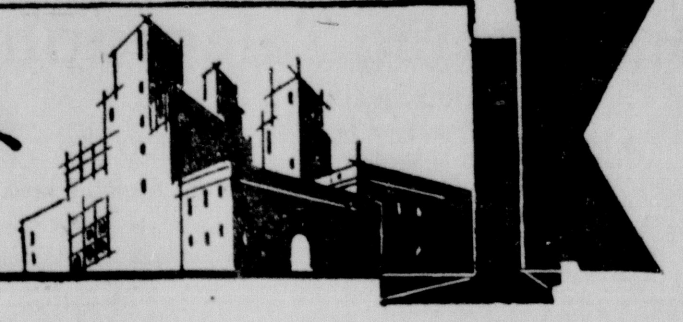
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The first stage will naturally include the major costs since it probably will include all of the plumbing, heating and electrical equipment, excavation, basement, etc., except that part that goes into the added units.

Then build the second part at the future time, when convenient, and continue the process until the house is finished.

THE ARCHITECT

The architect, as an important cog in the machinery of home building, is or should be the first point of counsel. Besides the necessity of being a practical business man, he must be an artist, a mechanical and civil engineer, an expert on materials and codes and have much other scientific knowledge.

Like the doctor and lawyer, he is permitted to practice his profession only after proving his qualifications before a Board of Examiners of the state. He is given a license to practice, which

may be withdrawn if he violates any of the ethics of the profession.

The function of the architect is to interpret for you the requirements and niceties of the plan you wish your home to take, and to develop your dream into a practical building project. He should not try to impose his own ideas upon you but rather to work out your problems for you in the light of his knowledge of design, style and construction. His success is built on the satisfaction of his clients with his services, and he will do all he can to assure you a more pleasing and comfortable home than you could have without his advice.

He can help you financing—and today it is true that the amount of loan and the interest rate is usually affected favorably by the fact that you have an architect.

He can advise you in the choice of a building site that will be suitable for the type of house you have in mind.

It is best to tell him frankly when you first consult him, just how much money you have to invest in the house and how many rooms you feel you must have. From this point on he will cooperate with you in every way in giving you a home to fit your individual requirements and one which you will be proud and happy to live in.

AAA Checks will be Mailed About Oct. 1

Washington, Sept. 10—(AP)—Midwestern farmers will begin receiving checks about October 1 for participating in the 1938 AAA program, agricultural adjustment administration officials said today.

The AAA is working on compliance sheets, summaries of performance and applications for payment. As soon as this work is completed the mailing of checks to farmers will be started.

Farmers will receive 10 cents a bushel on the normal yield of the acreage in the corn allotment, 12 cents on the normal yield of wheat and \$1.25 an acre for production of the individual farm on the general soil-depleting acreage allotment.

MUD CRABS CARRY DISEASE TO OYSTERS

Beaufort, N. C.—(AP)—By putting common mud crabs and sick oysters under a microscope, Dr. Herbert F. Prytherch has solved the mystery of an oyster disease that has cost southeastern oyster-men an estimated \$1,000,000 since 1930.

Dr. Prytherch, director of the U. S. Fisheries Biological station, found the crabs were carrying a microscopic parasite from sick to healthy oysters and causing havoc. He recommends that the oyster beds all be dredged free of the crabs before they are planted with seed or adult oysters.

An average oak tree evaporates about 28,000 gallons of water in a summer season.

ROUGH-HEWN WOODWORK IN WELL DESIGNED PORCH



Rough-hewn woodwork as illustrated on this entrance porch is particularly adapted to the Norman and sometimes the English type of home. While roughly hewn, the beams, post and spindles have been carefully designed so that perfect proportion has been built into this porch structure. As in former days of craftsmanship, the woodwork has been put together in the old-time manner—tongued and grooved and held together with wooden dowels.

THE CLOUDED MOON

By MAX SALTMARSH

The Characters

Hugo Stern, handsome author, living on the French Riviera.
Archie Lumsden, myself, Hugo's friend.
Ottile Willis, beautiful American heiress.

Yesterday: Venner warns me that I'm in danger and must leave France. When I refuse he has a heart attack. Later I spot a hotel servant as one of Geiss's killers.

Chapter 30 Murder At Night

Hugo, Dunning and Ada were waiting for me in the courtyard of the chalet. All three of them wore an air of anxious expectancy, and as I sank gratefully into a chair Dunning said: "It has occurred to me that, if we don't succeed in averting the trouble, Ottile and Mr. Willis would be mighty glad of some quiet place to retire to, until the fuss blows over; or even—" he hesitated—"in a certain eventuality Ottile might come alone; and Miss Ada has kindly said she'll be prepared for them at any hour of the day and night."

His words were like cold water on my spirits. Until then, I don't think I had seriously envisaged the possibility of failure, but now, as I saw how gravely he viewed our chances, I knew for the first time what fear was.

"Look here, Dunning," I said, "isn't it about time that we did what any ordinary person would have done in the first place and went to the police with what information we have?"

He sucked reflectively at his big cigar. "And just what," he asked mildly, "can we offer them in the way of concrete facts?"

I was silent for a moment and the more I thought, the more fully

did I realize that there was nothing, literally nothing, that we could produce as documented fact. I suppose that my chagrin showed on my face, for the big man leaned forward heavily and patted my shoulder.

"Son," said he, "don't you think I've been worrying over that difficulty since the first minute I got here? Mr. Willis is being guarded, as well as the local police know how, against the average accidents that could befall an American citizen in a foreign country. But if we ask them to keep an eye on Geiss or Stahl or Venner, we can give them no proof of what we believe."

He dropped back, like a man suddenly tired, and drained his glass, and as Hugo refilled it, he turned to me again. "There's another point that is doubtless in your mind—why we haven't told Mr. Willis himself of his niece's death, and the rest of the game that's going on. Well, that's a question that's given me a lot more sleepless nights, but I've the same answer for both queries. You've heard what Ottile says of her uncle; you can guess the kind of man he is, and I tell you this. If once he knew what had happened to Melaine, he wouldn't rest until he had found the murderer. He'd remove any chance we have of helping him, and he wouldn't save himself."

I sighed. "You're damnably right," I said. "If I could only get my hands round Geiss's neck."

Dunning nodded grimly. "And I don't mind admitting that a quiet bit of assassination is a solution that has often presented itself to me, though it's not as easy as it sounds, but meantime

what we want is the major evidence."

"And that is?"
"The gun," said he. "The second gun—the gun that killed poor Pat. If that could be found—on his premises—I'd have a good enough case to go to Paris with. Of course it's possible he's disposed of it long ago, but there's a factor in our favor—the man's colossal vanity. I firmly believe he doesn't credit there's a single living thing with the brains to see through him, and on that assumption there's just a chance he's still got the gun."

Rakovsky

There fell a heavy silence that Hugo finally broke. "And to think," said he, "that we were in that damned villa this afternoon! If we only tied the fellow and searched the place!"

"And got into a nasty bit of trouble if you'd found nothing," commenced the American. "No, no, Mr. Stern, we'll never win out on those methods. Son—he turned to me—"I am anxious to hear your news, but first I'll recapitulate what I've been telling Miss Ada and her brother here. That was a useful bit of observation of yours, when you sighted that singularly unpleasant lady, Miss Adams, going off for her joyride. Mr. Stern passed on the intelligence to me, and I set my men on the trail of the car. It belongs, and I don't fancy you'll be surprised to hear it, to a gentleman named Vladimir Rakovsky, who inhabits a small villa in a hamlet named San Lorenzo. From now on it will be my pleasure and privilege to see that he does not stir a foot outside it without I know where he's heading."

I whistled. "Then it was he I saw with her?" said I, with a sudden and not too pleasant recollection of the pale face and prominent eyes I had glimpsed for an instant through the window of the car.

"Precisely," agreed Mr. Dunning gravely. "And that means to say we have all the chief conspirators located, but if we had all their thoughts and plans similarly taped, I must confess I'd feel a lot easier. And now," said he, "what's your end of the tale?"

I told him, and I don't think a pin could have dropped unnoticed while I was speaking.

"You don't imagine," said Hugo, "that with this new development in the way of chasers in the hotel, I shall let you go back there for the night?"

"I imagine nothing," I told him. "But I certainly know I'd be a fool not to spend another night there and see what this new development means. Only, if you like, you can do something for me. Meet Jean-Francois down the lane and tell him from me to keep an eye skinned for the arrival of that yacht."

He agreed with extreme reluctance, and after supper, at a little before ten, I strolled back to the hotel. I had purposely timed my arrival to get in before the place closed, but though my watch still showed five minutes to the hour, the big gates were closed when I reached them.

I turned the key in a lock that felt freshly oiled, entered the darkened house, and tiptoed my way upstairs. Everything was still; I could almost hear the house breathing in its sleep.

I opened my room, switched on the light, and made a hasty inspection, but everything seemed to be in order. Even the lock of the door still worked, a fact that surprised me mildly, for ever since I had identified the new chasseur, I had had a vague suspicion that things were going to move that night.

I fastened the door, wedged a chair under the handle, and closed the stout outer shutters of the windows; then, with the comfortable feeling that if I was to wake up in paradise it wouldn't be for want of taking precautions, I went to bed.

But the long hours wore on and

I slept and woke and slept again until suddenly, somewhere before the dawn, I woke with a start. What had aroused me I couldn't tell. I was panting as if I had dropped out of a race, and in my ears I still seemed to hear the echo of a muffled cry.

Dripping Red

I crept to the door, listened intently, and then, with immense precaution, turned the key in the lock. As I opened the door silently, I saw that the passage outside was filled with the gray half-light of dawn, but it was completely empty; and then, a little way to the right, with a stealthy quiet that made a pulse leap in my throat, a door began to open.

Inch by inch it moved and I stood watching it, holding my breath. I could not think what room it was, for the rest of the corridor beyond was in shadow, and I could not count the shadows; but this door was clearly lit, and as I watched something appeared round the edge, pushing it wider—something that sent a cold shiver of horror sluicing down my spine. It was the fingers of a man's hand, heavy-knuckled, white-skinned, but they were not all white, for the nails dripped red on the marble flags below.

In one swift stride I was back inside my own room with the door shut and locked and my ear to the crack. For a moment all was still, and then I heard a small ominous sound that I knew to be the broken tile in the passage outside, giving under a stealthy tread.

There was no more sleep for me that night. Something horrible had happened but I dared not try to discover the truth, for my own life, and Hugo's and Dunning's, were all that stood between the old man Virgoe Wells and a similar fate.

Just as my watch showed seven, I heard footsteps outside and, peering cautiously round the window, saw the housekeeper crossing the gravel sweep with long, nervous strides towards the gate. A minute later a thin figure in dark trousers and a loose white jacket followed after her; I recognized the mop of waving, tow-colored hair and shuddered involuntarily. It seemed a reasonable hour to make my appearance, but before starting any investigations I had an uncontrollable longing to take a header into the sea, so I pulled on my bathing-trunks, flung a towel round my neck, and ran down, through a deserted house and garden, to the white beach and the sparkling water.

After a gorgeous half-hour of swimming, floating, and lazing I made my way back. The hall and lounge were still deserted, but as I came up the stairs to the corridor I saw at the far end outside Mr. Venner's door, the stout, blue-veined figure of Amedee, armed with a breakfast tray.

He turned as he heard my step, showing a troubled face. "Bon jour, monsieur!" he called, and then set the tray carefully on the floor and came at a lumbering trot towards me. "Monsieur will excuse," he said, fumbling nervously at his apron. "It is unsuitable that I approach him, but I know that he is a friend of the patron."

"Well, what is it?" I asked curiously.

He hesitated. "I am a little alarmed," he admitted. For fifteen minutes I have knocked at the door of the patron—and there is no reply."

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The general offices of the Spring-Air Mattress are located in Holland, Michigan, the city which has become world famous because of its annual Tulip Festival, and so it is highly appropriate that this company should use this means to promote the goodwill of its product.

BEND NEWS

By J. H. Bennett

Bend-Leon Brooks filled his silo last Tuesday.

Many from here attended the Ogle county fair at Oregon last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Bennett and daughter Mrs. Bertha Rorick of Dixon were calling on friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shorey and family returned to Oak Park Monday after spending the summer at their beautiful home at Rock Bend farm. Everett and Miss Betty returned to high school and William will attend Yale the coming year.

Miss Winifred Menzimer who has been spending a week in northern Wisconsin and Canada with a party of friends will return home Saturday.

Miss Edna Fisher has begun her school duties at Franklin Grove high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Welch of Dixon were visiting at the Leon Brooks home Tuesday.

Ambrose Strouse of Grand Detour and his force of carpenters will rapidly rebuild the cattle barn on the Harry Warner farm which burned recently.

Samuel Bennett sawed wood Thursday.

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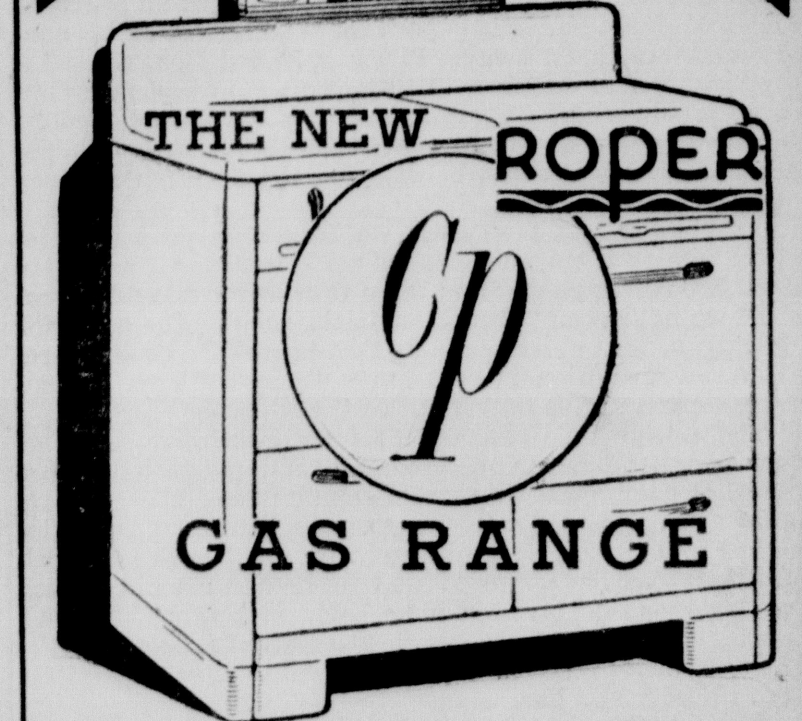
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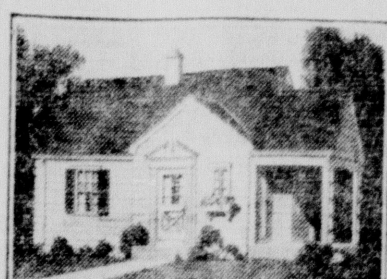
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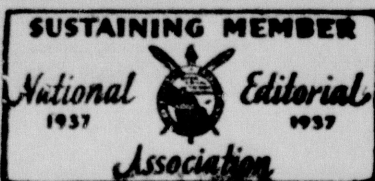
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CONSERVATISM VS. LIBERALISM

Now that President Roosevelt has brought to an issue the question of liberalism vs. conservatism, many are going to be discussing it and the terms should be studied.

It has been said recently that a modern liberal is one who is liberal with other people's money. Actually it has come to pass that any person with a wild-eyed idea that appeals to the New Deal is called a "liberal," whether his idea is liberal or not. There is danger in that, lest by the wrongful acceptance of the word "liberal" we revert to the rankiest kind of ancient reaction.

The term "conservative" almost defines itself. A conservative conserves, saves, protects.

Writers of the United States constitution, in their time, were looked upon as liberals. They had finished a tussle with a king and were determined to have no more monarchs. They built a constitution that gave people the power to govern themselves through elected representatives and executives. Almost immediately several amendments were added, even though the original document gave the people power to put them into statute form. We refer to the bill of rights.

If we look back to the ages of repression that preceded the constitution and its bill of rights, we shall see that the bill of rights was liberalism personified. Free speech! Freedom of worship! Freedom of the press! Freedom of assembly. Within the memory of people then living men had been penalized for insisting upon the privileges mentioned in the bill of rights.

What are the conservatives of today insisting upon? They demand a continuation of the liberal thoughts contained in the bill of rights—freedom of speech, press, liberty of conscience in religion, and the right to assemble peaceably.

What are the alleged liberals of today working for? Things have become so perverted that these liberals have sought to license the press, have made slurring remarks concerning its liberty, and one of them actually has sought to bring about a law abridging freedom of the press. Is that liberalism, or is it reaction to the days of King George III?

The constitution, as amended by the bill of rights, sought to guarantee liberty of speech. True, one is held responsible for what he says, and should beware of slander. But generally, we have assumed that a speaker stating what he believes are facts, particularly in the presence of those most affected, is safe from legal action. Conservatives have been clinging to that monumental right as a thing worth preserving.

But what about the alleged liberals? A motor car manufacturer finds himself facing a law enacted by "liberals" denying him the privilege of telling his employees what he thinks of a certain labor union.

Is such a law liberal, or is it such a law as would have been approved by King George III?

Popularly the constitution is believed to contain a passage to the effect that a man's house is his castle. Actually that document says "The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizure, shall not be violated . . . And again: . . . nor shall (a person) be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law. . . ."

There was a reason for such sentiment. There was a time when a man's estate could be seized for the most trivial offenses, or for no reason at all if a king so wished—and without just compensation. There had been a time when one's house could be entered without warrant and searched without explanation. His papers could be seized, or his sons and daughters taken away. It was a liberal idea, when the bill of rights was adopted, to restrict such invasions by law and to provide that warrants based upon laws enacted by the people's congress or state legislatures should be required before one's things could be dragged out and hauled away by any petty bailiff.

Within the last few years we have seen properties invaded, windows smashed, machinery destroyed and sabotaged by lawless gangs; and when the owners called for protection we have seen "liberal" officials, such as the governor of Michigan, turn a deaf ear. Is that liberalism, or is it a return to pre-revolutionary reaction? Today a "liberal" seizes private papers and is appointed to the supreme court.

Those who have resorted to such descriptive terms as communism, radicalism, dictatorship and purge have been accused of using catchwords and calling names. The person who has resorted to a catchword to conceal the apparent intent is Franklin D. Roosevelt, and that catchword is liberalism. He would be last to admit that he has used liberalism as a cloak for tyranny; but if he holds with those who seek to abridge freedom of the press, freedom of speech and the right to hold property inviolate, he has the wrong definition of both liberty and liberalism.

Conservatives, in this fight to avoid dictatorship, have been conserving liberalism. The so-called liberals have been undermining the constitution, the bill of rights and the American form of government.

THERE'S A CROP EVERY YEAR

Every year some person arrives with a brand new idea for perpetual motion; somebody discovers a way of playing the ponies safely; somebody can beat the slot machines, the galloping dominoes, the gaming tables in southern France or the professional poker players. They rank along with the fellow who is sure he can beat the streamliner to the grade crossing, although the results are less fatal.

And then we have, almost every year, a new pension

Walnut News of Today

Mrs. Kizie Rix, Reporter. Phone L 391

W. M. S. MEETING.

The Missionary Society of the Christian church with Mrs. Roy Ford as chairman held an open meeting in the church parlors on Thursday evening. Mrs. Ford led the devotions by reading the 69th Psalm and a poem. Mrs. Maynard Wondma of New Bedford gave a crayon picture of "Day is Dying in the West" and it was further interpreted by Mrs. Edna Epperson singing a solo of the same title. She was accompanied by Mrs. Nina Gerbitz. Rev. Ford gave a brief review of the beginning of all missionary work covering the 17th, the 18th and the 19th centuries. Mrs. Wilbur Stone closed the meeting with the missionary benediction.

TO DEDICATE ORGAN.

The new Wicks pipe organ which has recently been installed at the M. E. church will be officially dedicated Sunday afternoon, Sept. 11th at 3 o'clock. Rev. W. T. Street the pastor and the official board extend an invitation to the public to be present at these exercises. In addition to the local ministers of the community that are expected to attend, many ministers of the Baptist and M. E. churches were invited and those who will attend are Rev. W. H. Manny of Mt. Morris, Rev. A. J. Bishop of Marengo, Rev. A. A. Myers of Pullman, Chicago; Rev. Harry E. Miles of Morrison, Rev. A. W. Otis of DeKalb. Mrs. Helen Wheeler, the regular organist, will give several selections on the new organ as also Mrs. Dorothy Langford. The visiting organists will be Crawford Thomas of the Dixon M. E. church, and R. M. Barclay of Davenport, Iowa.

Sunday Morning Services of M. E. Church.

Rev. W. T. Street, pastor.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday school.
11:00 A. M.—Morning worship. Processional—Introit.
Prayer. Response by choir.
Hymn: Responsive reading.
Gloria; Scripture reading; Prayer, followed by Lord's Prayer chanted by choir.
Announcements and offering.
Anthem, "At Evening Bringeth Home."
Sermon, "A New Song"
Invitation. Benediction.
Rev. Ralph Pierce, Joliet-Dixon district superintendent, will preach at the morning services.

PINOCHLE CLUB.

Mrs. Joe Barth was hostess to her pinochle club on Thursday afternoon with two tables at play and also a "shower" for little Beverly Jean Sousser. Mrs. Max Wallis received guest high. Mrs. Hazel Louritzen, club member high and Mrs. Glenn Burkey, consolation. Mrs. Irene Sidebottom traveling. Guests were Mrs. Max Wallis, Mrs. George Buckner and Mrs. Clarence Jones of Knights-town, Ind. Beverly Jean received many beautiful gifts. Delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Ernest Christiansen will be the next hostess.

SOFT BALL GAMES.

Two series of kitten ball were played on the high school diamond on Thursday evening. In the first Normandy against Buda, the score being Normandy 14 and Buda 3. In the second game Van Orin played Spring Valley. The score was Van Orin 7 and Spring Valley 1.

BUNKER HILL CLUB.

The Bunker Hill club met at the home of Mrs. Melvin Durham on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Sergeant and Mrs. Henry Johnson assistant hostesses. The song "When I Grow Too Old to Dream" opened the meeting and was followed by the Lord's Prayer. The 23 members responded to roll call by displaying antique articles and giving a brief resume of their history. Mrs. Sergeant presided at the short business meeting. The question box in charge of Mrs. Grover Epperson proved most interesting. Polyantha gifts were presented to Mrs. Blanche Johnson. Mrs. Edna Epperson, Mrs. Rachel Johnson, Mrs. Nettie Rudiger and Mrs. Moneafy Parpke. The guests of the club were Mrs. Marion Cook and daughter, Mrs. Manlius Lovegreen and Mrs. Rosa Langford. Miss Florence Clark will be the hostess Oct. 11th. Refreshments were served.

ENTERTAINED CLUB.

Mrs. Hazel Whitver was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday afternoon with four tables at play. Mrs. Edna Livey received high score. Guests were Mrs. Ellen Wahl, Mrs. Della Wahl, Mrs. Vera Kiser, Mrs. Edna Livey, Mrs. Hazel Short and Mrs. Hazriet Upton. Refreshments were served.

HOME FROM VISIT.

Mrs. Harold Stone and baby daughter returned Thursday from a several days visit with her sister, Mrs. Genevieve Warkins in Ohio.

scheme based upon sales taxes, scrip or some sort of stamps to be affixed to pieces of paper. Without even waiting for Mr. Townsend to achieve his pension plan, Sheridan Downey of California sets 'em up in the other alley. Economists who have studied the Downey idea are not wondering whether it will work or not. They are wondering whether it will work even long enough to bankrupt the state.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Royal Blonin on Thursday morning. The little fellow weighed eight pounds and has been named Edward Dunivan.

WERE VISITORS HERE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross of Princeton and Mrs. Wm. Monier of Tiskilwa spent Thursday with Mrs. Greta Johnson.

M. E. LADIES MET.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid held their first meeting of the year on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. Clifford Hill had charge of the devotions. Her topic was "Faith and Service" and many scripture references were given revealing the thought that where there is no vision the people perish. She read an article, "The Gleaning Desert." She and Mrs. Joy Frederick sang a duet, "Have You Been in the Garden With Jesus?" She also gave a paper on "Our Work." The two songs given in the devotions were "In the Service of the King" and "Faith is the Victory." The regular business was conducted by the president, Mrs. Dorothy Shearburn. The ladies have decorated the parlors and dining room of the church and they plan to serve the annual chicken dinner on Thursday evening, Sept. 29th. All officers of the previous year will serve the Aid the coming year as also the chairmen of the Circles with the exception of the "Willing Workers." Mrs. Meta Pierson will have charge. Mrs. Shearburn gave the group the "thought" for the month and the meeting closed with the benediction. Refreshments were served.

LEAVE FOR WEST.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Waterhouse and Wilbur Fisher departed Thursday morning on a 10-day trip to visit relatives in Iowa and Nebraska. Their first stop will be with Mr. Fisher's brother, George, in Jessup, Iowa, and they will visit Tom Fisher in Nebraska.

A. AND R. SOCIETY MET.

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. John's Catholic church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eugene Spain with 12 members present. This was the first meeting of the year, at which the new officers presided. The regular business was conducted by Mrs. Ellen Langford, president. Other officers are Miss Mae Foley, vice president; Mrs. Tracy Grabill secretary and treasurer. The society is planning a social event for the near future. Dainty refreshments were served.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

R. W. Ford, minister.
Sunday services:
10 A. M.—Morning worship.
10:45 A. M.—Study class period.
11:35 A. M.—Observance of the Lord's Supper.
6:45 P. M.—Young people's service.
7:45 P. M.—Evening worship.
The Rev. William J. Carey of Fortville, Wis., will be a visiting minister and will preach at the morning service.

Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Shearburn were in Dixon Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Knight, Mrs. Larry Doyle and son Bobby went to Chicago Friday morning where Mrs. Doyle and son left for their home in Yonkers, N. Y. Mrs. Doyle has spent the past month with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sergeant spent Thursday in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mercant returned Wednesday from an eastern trip. They had been to Cleveland, Ohio, for the air races and enroute home visited the Municipal airport in Chicago and the Brookfield zoo.

Pair Who Held Up Oregon Office Indicted in St. Louis

St. Louis, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Three youths charged with federal violations were indicted by a grand jury which reported to Federal Judge Charles B. Davis yesterday.

The prisoners are William Wright of Davenport, Iowa, and George Yates, alias George Sotak, of Rock Island, Ill., charged with federal auto theft and illegal possession of firearms, and Charles Watson, 19, charged with violation of the federal auto theft act. All were indicted for their escape from the city jail Aug. 28. They later were recaptured.

(Wright and Yates are allegedly implicated in the holdup of the Ogilvie County Abstract Co. at Oregon several weeks ago.)

The Peruvian island of Chinchua, in the Humboldt Current, has a cormorant population estimated at 5,600,000.

ABBOTT WILL BE INSTRUCTOR IN WATER SAFETY

Returning Saturday evening after spending ten days at the National Red Cross aquatic school located at Oconomowoc, Wis., Kenneth Abbott, local representative of the Lee county chapter, American Red Cross, reported a very successful school. A total of 92 students representing 17 states and one from Brazil, South America, attended the 15th national school of the American Red Cross. Young men and young women representing the Red Cross chapters from their respective communities, came as far as 2,100 miles to the school New York, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Iowa, Illinois, Arkansas, Texas, Alabama and Montana were represented by eager students who received valuable instruction in water safety and first aid.

National staff instructors from New York, Chicago and St. Louis made up the faculty. Scoutmaster Abbott reports a full ten days of strenuous exercise and study, with final examinations coming on the last two days. The Lee county representative successfully passed all subjects and has been awarded the American Red Cross instructors and examiners certificate in swimming, life saving and water safety, first aid, boating and canoeing. Mr. Abbott will work with the Lee county committee, Red Cross in promotion of these activities.

The Lee county chapter, American Red Cross is to be congratulated upon the foresight displayed in enrolling a student to the national school for instruction who plans to impart this valuable information to groups and classes.

"In all of the courses presented, the main thought stressed upon the class members, was that the people of the nation should not only be educated, what to do in case of accidents, but likewise, instruction courses in the prevention of accidents", Mr. Abbott stated.

Scoutmaster Abbott having satisfactorily completed the entire course as prescribed by the National Aquatic school of the American Red Cross, will in the very near future be presented with the Water Safety Instructor's certificate from the Lee county chapter, Red Cross, and will be duly authorized to conduct such courses.

County Chairman Robert W. Sterling stated that Mr. Abbott's success at the school would provide material assistance to the county committee composed of E. A. Rawley, John L. Davies, Cal. G. Tyler and George Campbell.

Balance in State Treasury Set New Record August 31

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10.—(AP)—Treasurer John C. Martin reported today that the state treasury's general revenue fund balance August 31 stood at \$26,543,095 to top the previous all-time high set in July by \$345,549. Martin said state receipts from all sources totalled \$32,251,445 for the month, compared to \$43,818,073 in July and \$17,948,544 in August last year. Disbursements were listed as \$26,587,190.

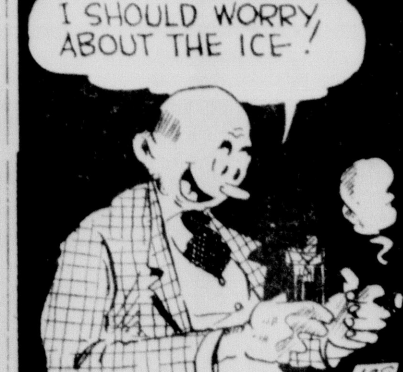
Last month's revenue included a bookkeeping item of \$13,600,000 in unemployment compensation trust funds, Martin said.

Other sources of income included: sales tax, including protested items, \$68,540,142; direct property tax, \$2,247,084; motor fuel tax, \$3,704,927; federal aid to roads, \$1,378,538; federal aid to old age assistance, \$1,091,625; beverage and liquor tax, \$963,942; public utility tax, \$712,986; miscellaneous fees, earnings and refunds, \$836,293.

The "set flea" has been known to attain a speed in the water of 60 miles an hour. It moves in a series of hops.

Brain Twizzlers

By PROF. J. D. FLINT



If you will get more inspiration by pretending to work this one out with a julep, a Collins, a toddy or something else instead of water, it is O. K. with the Ol' Professor but technically we are dealing with water. If a two-ounce piece of ice floats in a tumbler which has water to the brim and the ice shows above the edge how much water will overflow when the ice melts?

Answer to Yesterday's Twizzler

There were 61 horses in the drove when the trader started. (Copyright John F. Dille Co.)

LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

A fascinating pastime with

Albert Edward Wiggam, S. Se. Author of "THE MARKS OF A CLEAR MIND"



"The keenest anguish known to human nature is the pain of a new idea," (Bagehot). We hope this column brings you pain.

Answer to Question No. 1

1. Some cannot point toward the town square or court house or any other familiar place. This has been tested by Dr. Paul Woodring of the Detroit Psychopathic Clinic—the only place in the world where traffic violators are given a mental examination. Dr. Woodring found about half his subjects could point to such places as readily as they could point straight up, but many hesitated and some claimed it was unfair to suppose anybody could point

correctly toward places he could not see. Surely the latter would be dangerous drivers.

Answer to Question No. 2

2. No, because common sense is also always making mistakes but does not know they are mistakes and does not know how to correct them. The reason science advances is because it can discover its mistakes and reverse its conclusions. That is what makes it science.

Answer to Question No. 3

3. Extremely important. Suppose your boss or customer knows baseball language (which you call slang) and you do not. He thinks you an ignoramus on almost everything. So with all social and business contacts. Indeed, to "contact" a person is now slang—but I'll wager a new hat it will be in tomorrow's dictionaries. The slang of today makes the correct English of tomorrow.

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(Editor's Note—This week The Merry-Go-Round's Brass Ring goes to an intentionally obscure but interesting Washington character—Miliburn L. Wilson Under Secretary of Agriculture and former Director of Subsistence Homesteads.)

WASHINGTON — Nearly two years have passed since Rex Tugwell left Washington, but in another embodiment his spirit goes marching on. The things he battled for are being advanced by another man—who doesn't make people see red.

Miliburn Lincoln Wilson has the same ideas which, under the Tugwell banner, were "dangerous" and "radical." He, too, was a college professor, and he uses the same phrases that made the Senate hate his predecessor—phrases like "the culture of technology" and "a new life pattern."

Yet Wilson holds the post and draws the salary that the Senate grudgingly gave Tugwell—Under Secretary of Agriculture at \$10,000—and nobody writhes at foams at the mouth. The reason is that though Wilson has his vision in the stars he has his roots in the soil.

You simply can't get worried listening to this sun-tanned agronomist, who has been a tenant farmer in Nebraska, a home-steader in Montana, and whose academic researches have dealt principally with dry farming, wheat consumption, and the handling of big-team hitchies.

Some of Tugwell's old enemies might get alarmed about Wilson, too, if they knew he was a devotee of a British savant named Merett and spent a lot of time reading Merett's books on anthropology. They might feel very uncomfortable to hear him speak of "the normal habitat of homo sapiens," or to learn that in religion he is "a cross between a Quaker, a Unitarian, and a scientific humanist."

But his talk is the comfortable colloquy of a farmer leaning across a rail fence. He even lets rural grammar creep into his speech. He reaches into his pocket for some change and clinks it meditatively as he says: "Got to take some of the treacherous hazard out of farming. First there's a drought that burns up everything, then along comes (sic) a heavy crop and the bottom drops out of the market."

Tugwell Team

This man whom Henry Wallace called "M. L." made a team with Tugwell in shaping the agricultural platform of candidate Roosevelt in 1932. Rex and M. L. came to Hyde Park while Wal-

lace was still publishing his farm journal in Des Moines. It was Wilson who developed the "voluntary domestic allotment plan" which became the foundation of the AAA.

He had other radical ideas to sell to the new presidential candidate. He thought the Government should "resettle" men whom industry had thrown out of work—set them up with a house and a patch of land, so they could get their living from the soil, as their fathers had done before them. He had heard about this set-up from the Quakers, who were already resettling unemployed miners in West Virginia, and he called it the "subsistence homestead."

Accordingly, his first big job under the New Deal had nothing to do with wheat farming or the Department of Agriculture. He was made Director of the Division of Subsistence Homesteads under Ickes in the Interior Department. It was this division which built the projects at Arthurdale and Red House, West Virginia; at Crossville, Tennessee; and later at Hightstown, New Jersey.

Through Mrs. Roosevelt's interest in Arthurdale, Wilson came to know the First Lady, and he has a deep personal regard for her. He says she is the personification of neighborliness—which is the priceless heritage of the farm.

This touches a point where Wilson the scientist meets M. L. the humanitarian. Its symbol is Turkey Creek in southwest Iowa.

Turkey Creek
Wilson was born on a farm in Cass County, Iowa, 53 years ago. As he grew up on that farm, he swam and fished in Turkey Creek, and he crossed it every day on his way to school. It was then crystal clear and in places as deep as 30 feet. Today the groves of shade trees are dying, the fields are giving way to erosion, and Turkey Creek is a muddy trickle.

Similarly, there has been human erosion. The neighborliness he knew when the town of Atlantic seemed a remote principality ten miles away has given way before the machine age. The automobile, the movies, and farm machinery have come to Turkey Creek, but gone is the abundant life of kindness which Wilson felt among his neighbors when he was a boy.

"Land has become of secondary importance. Land and the home have given ground before the movies, the radio, the five-and-dime stores and the Susie-Q. Our civilization has made tremendous mechanical advances, but these have grown in the last quarter century from an infant to an obsession. We are dependent on the machine rather than on ourselves."

This might be the plaint of a sentimentalist who could not keep pace with the times. But M. L. Wilson is looking ahead, not behind. He has a contribution to make to the machine age—namely, life without stomach ulcers.

"Farmers don't suffer from nervous diseases," he says. "Agriculture, according to anthropologists, is the type of life best suited to homo sapiens. We like it. We take to it. We are stronger and happier with our hands in the soil. We don't throw stones

and gas bombs if we live on a farm.

"If democracy is to survive in the United States, the farm is the saving element. But it must be agriculture under a new life pattern."

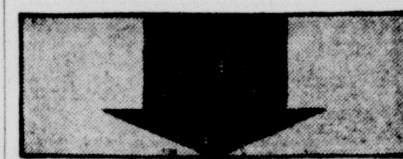
"There must be a combination of industry and agriculture. The industrial age is here to stay. But it brings diseases—economic diseases of all sorts. We've got to modify it, decentralize it, with subsistence homesteads supported by the cash income from industry."

"New Life"
This is the "new life pattern" which made trouble for Tugwell three or four years ago. But the pattern is still here, and the cloth has already been cut from it. Last week the Farm Security Administration—successor to Tugwell's Resettlement Administration—announced that a private hosiery company would operate silk-throwing plants and hosiery mills at Cumberland Homesteads, and Red House Farms.

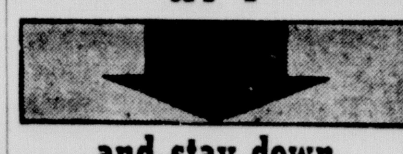
This is a victory for the new life pattern cutters. If this part of the pattern were left unfinished, the homesteads would collapse in insolvency. There would be plenty of corn and tomatoes, but no cash for the baby's shoes. This was the burning question about Arthurdale—would any industry settle there to give jobs that the mines had taken away?

M. L. Wilson is pleased with the victory, but he is keeping quiet about it. He does not want the limelight or the role of a prima donna, for his plans reach far ahead, so far that he cannot see them fulfilled in his lifetime. But at least he will keep on pushing them.

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A large proportion of overweight people between the ages of 30 and 65, hitherto diagnosed and treated as diabetics, can be cured by weight control according to studies made at the University of Michigan hospital.



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Society News

Mississippi Guests are Incentive for Round of Parties

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller and sons Donald and Richard left yesterday for their home in Starkville, Miss., after a fortnight's visit with Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Washington Miller, and Mrs. Miller's father, Gustav Mueller. Their arrival was the incentive for a round of parties, which included a reunion of the Mueller family members at the parental home last Sunday.

Only one of Mr. Mueller's nine children was unable to attend the gathering, Fred Mueller of Batavia. The Millers spent a day of their visit with the Fred Muellers and their infant son at Batavia. In the family group Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Traynor and sons James and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mueller and daughters Elaine and Charlotte, the Harry Millers of Starkville, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nelson and son Sherwood of Rock Island, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Clark and sons Keith, Eugene, and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Enichen and children Charlene and Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mueller and daughter Nancy or Milan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hufford and children Wayne, Thomas, and Phyllis, Miss Eloise Pratt of Rock Island, and Mrs. Marcus Harteck of Chicago.

Nearly 50 guests were received at an informal open house several evenings ago at the Mueller home. The family gatherings were in the form of a farewell courtesy for three of Mr. Mueller's grandchildren, who will be entering college soon. Donald Miller will be entering the Mississippi School of Agriculture and Mechanics when he returns to Starkville, Miss. Elaine Mueller leaves next Thursday for the University of Illinois, and Sherwood Nelson plans to enter Augustana college in Rock Island.

RIVERSIDE P. T. A. MEETS AT KINGDOM

An illustrated talk on dental hygiene by Dr. Grover Moss, and a travelogue on Hawaii by Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman of St. Paul, Minn., provided an instructive and interesting program for members of the Riverside Parent-Teacher association last evening at Kingdom. Mrs. Clifford Floto, who was in charge of the program introduced the speakers.

Pupils of the school opened the entertainment with an exhibit of their art work, which won fourth honors at the Ogle county fair at Oregon. Recitations were also given under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. Clara Gronewold.

Mrs. Chapman told of visiting her son, Dr. Royal Chapman, who is research entomologist for the pineapple plantations in Hawaii.

The speaker, who has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whitney, will leave tomorrow for Elmhurst, Wash., to reside.

The next meeting of the association will be held on Friday evening, Oct. 14. Mrs. Leonard Stevens presided last evening, with nearly 60 members attending.

ATTENDS NEPHEW'S CHRISTENING

Mrs. C. A. Sheffield of Grand Detour and her guest, Mrs. McIntyre, have returned from a three-day visit in Milwaukee, Wis., where they attended the christening of Mrs. Sheffield's nephew, James Thomas Hawley.

Mrs. Sheffield had as her overnight guests on Wednesday, Mrs. Walter Voight, her two children, and niece, Miss Adelaide Gallett. Mrs. Voight was enroute from Aberdeen, S. D., to her home in Upper Montclair, N. J. Miss Gallett will enter Northwestern University at Evanston on Monday.



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Rock River Camera Club to Open Fall Season on Monday

Plans for activities that will range from printing of Christmas cards to child photography and from elementary enlarging to portrait photography will be discussed by members of the Rock River Camera club at their first business meeting of the fall season Monday evening in the Telegraph building. As many members as possible are asked to be present for the meeting, which is to open at 7:30 o'clock, and is to be the first of a series of weekly get-togethers.

An educational program, to include lectures and demonstrations on varied subjects of interest to camera enthusiasts, has been outlined for the remainder of 1938 as follows:

Sept. 12, business meeting; Sept. 19, lecture on film development; Sept. 26, practical development demonstration.

Oct. 3, contract printing; Oct. 10, making Christmas card negatives; Oct. 17, printing of Christmas cards; Oct. 24, elementary enlarging; Oct. 31, advanced enlarging methods.

Nov. 7, preparing prints for mounting; Nov. 14, sepia toning of prints; Nov. 21, general toning processes; Nov. 28, Christmas card exhibit.

Dec. 5, lecture and illustrations on composition; Dec. 12, portrait photography; Dec. 19, child photography; holiday recess.

The program schedule will be followed generally, with a number of additional features, including special lectures and illustrated articles supplied by the Eastman Kodak company, classes in elementary photography for beginners, field trips to Lowell park, White Pines park, and other places of interest.

Members of the club have the privilege of inviting guests to any of the meetings.

ANNOUNCES WEDDING DATE

At a party Thursday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hannah of Polo, Miss Gretchen Carol Hannah announced to eight friends that she has chosen Sunday, Oct. 2, as the date for her marriage to Marshall Schell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Schell, who live on a farm north of Polo.

The center decoration on the refreshment table was a miniature garden with pink and blue flowers, and a small bride and groom beneath a wedding bell. The place cards, cloths, and napkins were pink and blue, representing bridesmaids, bore tiny pennants with the names, Gretchen and Marshall, and the wedding date, Oct. 2.

Both Miss Hannah and her fiancé were graduated from Polo high school. She has been employed at the farm insurance office in Oregon, and he is farming with his father. After the couple's wedding, Mr. Schell's parents will move to Polo, and the bride and groom will occupy their farm home.

DIXON HOUSEHOLD CLUB

Mrs. John Fassler entertained with hunko on Thursday afternoon when she was hostess to members of the Dixon Household club. Mrs. William Hoff won prizes in the games, which were followed by refreshments.

Mrs. Ray Hodges has invited the members to her home for Oct. 12.

MERRY MAIDS ARE ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Elwood Ortgiesen was entertaining at a fried chicken supper last evening at her home south of Dixon for 18 members of the Merry Maids club. After supper, tables were made up for 500, with prizes going to Miss Mae Thoren and Mrs. George Alshouse.

CALENDAR

Saturday.
Third district, Illinois Nurses' association—State hospital, 2 to 5 P. M.

Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Messner of Polo—Golden wedding anniversary, open house from 2 to 6 P. M.

Monday.
Woman's Relief Corps—G. A. R. hall, 2:30 P. M.
Golden Rule class, St. Paul's Lutheran church—Scramble supper, 6:30 P. M., at Mrs. Walter M. Smith's home, 324 North Galena.

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Several Vacationers Return to Town; Others are Entertaining Guests

This week-end finds Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen, Sr. back at "Hazelwood," after a late summer fishing trip to McGregor Bay in Georgian Bay with Mr. Walgreen, who has gone to Muskegon to attend a golf tournament. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walgreen, Jr., and four other Chicagoans, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mullady and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Borg, the Walgreens sailed from Chicago on their yacht, the "Dixonia," two weeks ago.

With Mrs. Walgreen at "Hazelwood" for the week-end are guests from several distant points, including Mrs. Frances Reed of Essex, Canada, Maurice Armstrong and Mrs. John Wharton of Los Angeles, Mrs. Leonard Reed of Chicago and her mother from St. Petersburg, Fla., Mrs. Lola Harney and Mrs. Guy Dart of Chicago, and the Misses Brining of Bloomington.

On Monday, the Justin Darts and their sons, Justin, Jr. and Peter, will arrive in New York City aboard the Normandie, and will fly to Chicago during the afternoon. The Darts have been traveling through England, Switzerland, and France for several months.

Mrs. Lucile Preston and Miss Bess McCabe, attendants at the Dixon State hospital, Miss Edith Reese of the colony recreation department, and James Nealus of Rochelle will be leaving Tuesday morning on a two weeks' motor trip to Denver, Phoenix, and Mexico City. Pueblo, Pike's Peak and the Grand Canyon are also included on the quartet's itinerary.

The Frederick Broughtons and their little son, Bruce, returned to Dixon yesterday after a three weeks' vacation trip to Los Angeles. Mrs. Broughton's former home. They were stopping with Mrs. Broughton's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Brunson, and enjoyed a week-end trip to Catalina Island aboard the Brunsons' yacht, "Stella Maris." A number of parties were planned for the Dixonites during their stay.

The Glenn Coes are entertaining with a family dinner party tomorrow, complimenting Mrs. Coe's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buck of Pattonburg, Mo., and the Bucks' son-in-law and daughter, the Dayton Collivers of Excelsior Springs, Mo. Others in the party will include Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson and Mrs. Sophia Wilson of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and family of Sterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blum of Rock Falls. The visitors arrived Thursday evening and will remain until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Glassburn have as their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Glassburn of Marshall, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson of Sedalia, Mo. The Missourians will be accompanied home tomorrow by Wade Glassburn, who has been spending the summer in Dixon, and who will return for his senior year at Missouri university. Wade is a brother of A. L. Glassburn and Mrs. Wilson, and a nephew of J. L. Glassburn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Shannon of New York City have been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Legner of 706 East Fellows street since Wednesday and will be leaving for Chicago tomorrow. Mrs. Shannon is Mrs. Legner's sister.

NACHUSA READING CIRCLE

Members of the Nachusa Teachers' Reading circle elected new officers at their first meeting of the season Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lella Seavey, The Misses Helen Crawford, Mary Wolf, and Emma Butler assisted the hostess with plans for a chicken supper, which preceded the business meeting.

Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Ella Herbert; vice president, Miss Evelyn Graf; secretary-treasurer, Miss Lucy Brill; assistant secretary-treasurer, Miss Emma Butler. Thirteen former members were present, and two new members were welcomed.

The next meeting will be held at Miss Evelyn Graf's home on Oct. 6.

RETURNS FROM EAST

Mrs. J. U. Weststead has returned from a vacation stay in Pennsylvania, visiting at the home of Mrs. Paul Fatzinger of Easton, the former Miss Helen Banks, who has visited in Dixon a number of times. While in the east, Mrs. Weststead visited in Ocean Grove, N. J., enroute to Fenton, the Sourland mountains, where she passed by the Lindbergh home, Trenton, N. J., and Harrisburg. Her itinerary also included Paradise Falls, Lancaster, Johnstown, Philadelphia, Altoona, and Pittsburgh.

DIXON AFTERNOON UNIT

Hostess appointments for the coming year were announced by the new chairman, Mrs. Edward Schick, at the September meeting of the Dixon Afternoon Home Bureau unit yesterday. Mrs. Ivan Wakeley was entertaining.

Miss Elizabeth Colean was present to discuss the month's lesson on vitamins, and Mrs. Leon Garrison presented the minor study, "Home Laundering."

The next meeting is scheduled for October 14 at Mrs. Henderson's home south of Dixon.

HARMONY UNIT WILL MEET

The September meeting for Harmony unit of the Lee County Home Bureau has been announced for Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elmer Poppino. Mrs. Elizabeth Colean, home adviser, will present the major lesson, "What is New in the Field of Vitamins?" This will be Miss Colean's last meeting with the unit as home adviser, as she has resigned and is soon to become a bride.

ENTERTAINS FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

William LaFever and Stanley Legner, who leave tomorrow for Urbana to enter the University of Illinois, shared honors at a dinner party given Thursday evening by the former's mother, Mrs. Byron LaFever. Covers were arranged for the Misses Mary Jane Lambert, Jane Toste, Marvin Fane, Don Campbell, Donald Bean, Joseph Dempsey, Paul LaFever, and the honor guests.

MRS. MEMLER HAS BRIDGE-LUNCHEON

Mrs. Merton Memler of 321 North Jefferson arranged a bridge-luncheon for 12 guests yesterday. Garden flowers trimmed the luncheon tables, cleared later for contract.

Mrs. George Beier and Mrs. Byron Countryman received prizes at the close of the card games.

UNITY GUILD OPENS FALL SEASON

Miss May Lord was hostess at the first meeting of the fall season for members of the Unity Guild, Thursday. A picnic luncheon was followed by a short business meeting.

Mrs. Stuart Allwood is to entertain on Oct. 6.

WILL ENTERTAIN PRACTICAL CLUB

Mrs. Lester Street and Mrs. Clinton Rhodes will be co-hostesses to members of the Practical club at the group's first meeting of the fall season on Tuesday. They will be entertaining with a 1 o'clock luncheon in the Lowell park lodge.

PRAIRIEVILLE SOCIAL CIRCLE

Members of the Prairieville Social circle have been invited to the home of Mrs. Walter Brauer for an all day meeting and scramble luncheon Wednesday. Mrs. Bertha Martin of Sterling will be present to give a demonstration on foundation garments.

WILL VISIT BELVIDERE CHAPTER

Mrs. Jessie Rosecrance, member of Dorothy chapter, O. E. S., has been invited to fill the station of conductress for Friends' Night at Adeline chapter in Belvidere, Monday.

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity in the Past

(From Dixon Telegraph) 37 YEARS AGO

The new Catholic church at West Brooklyn was dedicated yesterday by Right Reverend Bishop Muldoon of Chicago.

Dr. E. M. Browne, osteopath, has sold his practice to Dr. L. F. Curl, his brother-in-law, who took charge today.

Louis Baumbach pleaded guilty before Judge R. S. Farrand today in the county court to a charge of violating the inn-keeper's act and was sentenced to a pay a fine of \$5 and costs, this being the first conviction in the new court house.

25 YEARS AGO

Members of the board of supervisors visited Camp Hope north of Grand Detour yesterday afternoon and witnessed road improvement work being accomplished by 45 honor prisoners from the Joliet penitentiary.

"Fine Feathers" opened the season at the Dixon opera house last evening.

Special trains will be operated next week hauling visitors to Lee county fair grounds at Amboy over Burlington lines.

10 YEARS AGO

Fire Chief Thomas Coffey went to LaSalle today to attend the forty-first convention of the Illinois Firemen's association.

Postmaster John E. Moyer will leave Sunday for Asheville, North Carolina to attend the sessions of the National Association of Postmasters.

day evening. Several members of the local chapter expect to attend.

SOUTH DIXON UNIT

Members of the South Dixon Home Bureau Unit have planned an afternoon meeting for Tuesday. Mrs. Carl Blum will entertain at 1:30 o'clock.

TO ASK REASONS FOR OUSTING OF U. S. OFFICIALS

Washington, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The senate campaign expenditures committee has decided to ask two federal departments for explanations of the dismissal of two federal officials who reportedly lost their jobs in Georgia because they supported Senator George in his campaign for re-nomination.

The committee said it would ask the National Emergency Council and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for "their side of the story" concerning dismissal of Earle Cocke, Georgia NEC director, and Edgar B. Dunlap, RFC attorney at Atlanta.

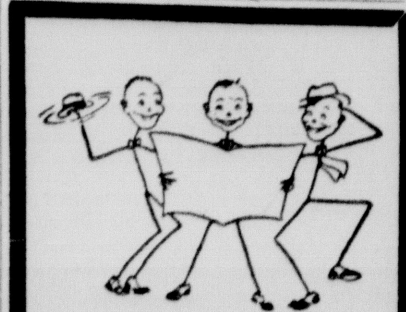
Committee investigators made their report on the dismissals this morning.

They also reported on an investigation of charges of irregularities in the registration of voters in some Georgia counties. The committee ordered a further investigation of the charges, which were brought by E. S. Fuller of Savannah, Ga.

Fuller, the committee said, charged that individuals in Georgia were given money to pay their bill tax in order to register for next Wednesday's primary election.

The committee acted on charges in connection with political campaigns in nine other states, announcing among other things that it would send an investigator to Wisconsin "for the purpose of investigating charges of the collection of large campaign funds, and reports that funds are being solicited from WPA employees, in connection with the contest in that state for the United States senate."

A monument at La Grange, Tex., honors the 17 soldiers who died in the "black bean execution." Gen. Santa Anna captured 176 Texans in 1842 and wishing to execute one-tenth of them, he put 17 black beans and 159 white beans in his hat. The 17 who drew black beans were shot.



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Personal Paragraphs

Chief J. D. Van Bibber and Supervisor D. H. Spencer transacted business in Mendota Friday.

Stoddard Danekas of Reynolds township was a Dixon business visitor Thursday.

D. A. R. Rummage Sale, Saturday, Sept. 17th. Warner Bldg., 108 E. First St. 21311

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hess motored to Franklin Grove Thursday evening and attended the amateur show.

Attorney H. C. Warner returned home Thursday from a business trip to Chicago.

Amos Bosworth is confined to his home by illness.

Sterling Schrock attended an American Legion meeting at Ash-ton Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mathews and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brushey returned yesterday from a week's vacation trip to Waterloo, Nashua, and other points in Iowa. They visited a number of relatives.

—Vogue Beauty Shop will close ALL DAY MONDAY, SEPT. 12th. 21311

C. C. Williamson of Springfield, state landscape designer, spent yesterday at the Dixon State hospital.

Miss Clara Wells and Mrs. Julia Rhodes will attend a cosmeticians' convention Monday in Chicago.

Glenn Klapprodt, who submitted to an emergency appendectomy recently at Katherine Shaw Betha hospital, is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin of Cicero and Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCamp of Chicago have returned to their homes after a brief visit with Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Levan.

Mrs. Fred Herr of Lamolite was shopping in Dixon stores yesterday.

The Misses Mabel and Elsie Herr of Lamolite were Dixon shoppers on Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Faber of Mendota was a Dixon visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Marguerite Weber of Mendota was among out of town shoppers in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Russell Grobe of near Nelson was shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Rex Flach of Amboy was in Dixon on Friday.

Attorney William A. Keho of Amboy transacted business in Dixon yesterday.

George Webber of Viola township was a Dixon business caller today.

John T. Emmitt of Nelson township was in Dixon this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Chaon and daughter of Sublette were Dixon visitors yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ballou returned home last evening from an extended trip through northern Michigan and Ontario, Canada.

Everett Barnes and son of Amboy were Dixon callers this morning.

Attorney Robert L. Bracken transacted business in Chicago yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shank left today on a two weeks' vacation near Tomahawk, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Vess McCord and family of Nelson have returned to their home after spending several days with friends and relatives at Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Leeb, Miss Sadie Billington of Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Taylor and family of Union Grove, Wis., have

returned to their homes after spending several days at the Oscar Sadler home in Nelson.

Orrin B. Peterson, assistant bookkeeper at the Dixon state hospital, left yesterday on a two weeks' vacation trip through the west.

Amos Eberly of Nelson transacted business at the Lee county seat Friday.

Edward Hollenbeck of Nelson was a business visitor in Dixon yesterday.

Henry F. Shippert of South Dixon township was among those from out of town who transacted business here yesterday.

Jochaim Prestegard of Lee was a Dixon visitor Friday.

Out of town business visitors yesterday included Jacob Maakestad of Lee.

Day Welty of Eldena was transacting business in Dixon yesterday.

James Thompson of Amboy was shopping in Dixon stores yesterday.

Frank Fisel of Nelson transacted business here yesterday.

Mrs. Ethel Bennett of Sheridan, Wyo., has arrived for an extended visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Daultler.

Attorney James Dubbs of Mendota was in Dixon Thursday afternoon.

Attorney Robert Besse of Sterling transacted business at the county seat on Thursday.

L. R. Carter of Rockford has been transacting business in Dixon for several days.

Edward S. Sherman of Sycamore was a business visitor here yesterday.

C. A. Knowles of Chicago was a Dixon visitor Friday.

Miss Almada Gould, who is employed downtown, has been vacationing in Minneapolis, Minn., this week.

J. L. Glassburn attended a meeting for Chevrolet dealers on Thursday at the Blackhawk hotel in Davenport, Iowa.

Miss Olive Hackbarth arrived home yesterday from a three weeks' visit in California.

Borden Co. Files Protest in Probe

Chicago, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The Federal grand jury investigating the nation's milk industry struck its first snag yesterday when the Borden Company, one of the country's largest dairy concerns, served notice it would ask the Federal court to quash two subpoenas duces tecum requiring the company's records be produced by September 13.

A petition accompanying the notice, which was served on U. S. District Attorney Michael L. Igoe and Leo F. Tierney, his special assistant Attorney General, protested the demanded records would have to be gathered from 31 states and 80 undesignated locations throughout the world.

List of books banned by the South African Union censor now includes works of Honor de Balzac and Francois Rabelais, because "sex plays too conspicuous a part in them."

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By DON DANIELSON

King Football is preparing for his reign this fall and the Dixon high school alumni are preparing for their gridiron game with the high school's varsity on the afternoon of September 30. Charlie Roundy is the fellow in charge of activities and there's to be a practice of the former griders at the high school athletic field tomorrow morning at ten o'clock. All candidates are urged to be out for this important brushing-up and dusting-off. 18-45-81 Shift!

The starting line-up for the All Stars in the feature softball game tomorrow night at the Dixon Airport find Beyer on the mound, Watts behind the plate, McReynolds at first, Anderson at second base, Withers at third, Holland at shortstop, Wolford in leftfield, Littrell in short field, Krug in centerfield and Gleason at rightfield. Manager Bennie Howard and his assistant Harold Schertner have a string of off second teamers for substitutions.

A night football game in Pennsylvania was called — of all reasons — on account of darkness. A short circuit extinguished the lighting system in Monessen's new stadium last night two minutes before a local eleven was scheduled to play Erie East high school.

Three judges have been selected to act in the preliminary events to be held before the All Stars game tomorrow night. Those who have consented to call ten are A. C. Bowers and L. E. Sharpe of the high school athletic staff and Bert Cummings manager of the Dixon hardball team.

Celebrating the opening of the Big Ten football season in Wisconsin, the third annual Kick-off luncheon was held this noon under the auspices of the "W" club. Harry Stuhldreher, coach of the University of Wisconsin team, was the principal speaker and outlined the prospects of the coming season as well as explaining the conclusions drawn on the spring practice.

The feature event at the Airport tomorrow night between the California Market team and the fan-chosen All Stars will start off in style with summary of the preliminary events. Each manager of the twelve teams in the league is asked to have two entries ready for the following events: run around the bases against time, punt and run to first base, fungo hitting, catcher's accuracy throw to second base and accuracy and distance throw from centerfield to home plate.

It's a week from today — that official football opener! Next Saturday the Dixon high school squad opens the season at Rock Falls. It looks like a big year for the local lads.

BROMWICH WILL PROBABLY MEET DON IN FINALS

Australian Has Strange Characteristics in Tennis Playing

Forest Hills, N. Y., Sept. 10.—(AP)—While the boys and girls still are boring the customers with one-sided exhibitions at Forest Hills, gradually reducing the competitive overflow in the national tennis championships, it is a good opportunity to report upon the strange characteristics of Jack Bromwich, the 19-year-old Australian, who probably will play Donald Budge for the men's title a week from today.

Not only did Bromwich stamp himself a potential wonder of the courts by his play in the recent Davis Cup matches at Germantown, but he also established himself the all-time tennis "Whatist" by his dizzy manipulation of a racquet. Nobody could tell whether he was a left-hander or a right-hander, and it was maddening to the experts.

Is a Right-Hander

Having discussed the matter with Bromwich, it is possible to report he is a right-hander. That is the hand with which he writes letters home and bowls a cricket ball. Also it is the hand with which he serves and the side on which he smites his deadly two-handed winners. Why he hits balls on his life side with his left hand alone, even Bromwich doesn't know. His opponents would like to have it declared unfair practice. The first time a person sees Bromwich hit his two-handed shot it looks awkward. After that it looks simply terrific. It is his forcing shot, and he can sock it endlessly into the corners. His left-hand shot is as steady but not as hard.

Perfect Temperament

Bromwich is a blond, smiling youngster with a perfect competitive temperament. The consensus in the press box is that he will beat Riggs in the semifinals and then give Budge a tremendous fight in the final. Some think he has a good chance of winning though that seems extravagant after having watched Budge take the court with his famous sore throat yesterday and blister young Welby Van Horn of Los Angeles, 6-0, 6-0, 6-1.

None of the big shots had any real difficulty getting through the second day's play though Sidney Wood Jr., a bygone great, had to go five sets to eliminate J. Gilbert Hall. Starting today, the tempo was due to get a little faster in the men's division, with the women still holding their fire. Bromwich faced Frank Shields, the handsome fugitive from Hollywood, in the day's feature match on the stadium court, with Gene Mako meeting Frank Kocavacs in another likely encounter.

Rise is the Japanese "indispensable." Beds are made of the woven straw, horses' shoes are made of rice straw tied to the hoofs, and rural houses are thatched with rice straw.

The triggerfish camouflages itself by imitating the tropical grasses in which it swims.

LEAGUE BATTING AVERAGES DOWN BELOW NORMAL

New York, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The major league batting averages are all set to wind up with the lowest set of leading averages in years.

In the American League Earl Averill of the Cleveland Indians is setting the pace with a "tremendous" .345 average, two points in front of Boston's Jimmy Foxx and four ahead of Washington's Cecil Travis.

Over in the National League, Ernie Lombardi of Cincinnati, leading with .350, figures to stay around that mark but he won't have to fall far to slip below the .345 with which Chick Hafey of the Cards won in 1931.

Season records of the first ten in each league:

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	G	ab	r	Pct
Averill, Cleve	120	426	96	.345
Foxx, Bos	130	496	117	.343
DMag, N. Y.	123	510	116	.337
McCor, Cin	133	569	124	.322
Trosky, Cleve	129	475	93	.316
Cham'n, Bos	108	410	74	.337
Heath, Cleve	104	411	86	.336
VonKam, Bos	126	536	106	.332
St'nb'ker, Chi	93	350	51	.331
Myer, Wash	111	377	68	.329

Whizzer Makes Bow Into Pro Football

Detroit, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Despite the fact his debut as a paid football player was for a losing cause, everyone connected with the Pittsburgh Pirates was confident today that a brilliant future awaits Byron (Whizzer) White in the national professional league.

White, most publicized college player of 1937, made his bow last night at the Detroit Lions' conquest of the Pirates, 16 to 7, in the first game of the professional season.

The former Colorado University athlete scored his team's only touchdown in a plunge from the two-yard line after pacing an 80-yard march in the final round.

Three-Eye Leaguers Go Back to Playing

Chicago, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The four contenders in the Three-Eye League's Shaughnessy playoffs went back to work today after a day of rest brought about by rain.

Fourth-place Springfield needed but one victory over Decatur to clinch a place in the finals. It has beaten the Evansville in two of three starts. Evansville, the league champion, however, is still on even terms with third-place Moline after two games.

In India, Jainist monks live on one grain of wheat a day for long periods. Followers of the ascetic order originally were advised by their founder, Mahavira, to eat only dishwater, barley pap, cold sour ghee, and water in which barley had been washed.

All Stars Game Tomorrow Night Dixon Off to West Brooklyn—It's Dynamite

EVERYTHING SET FOR IMPORTANT GAME TOMORROW

Fans and Players Are Hoping for Decent Weather

It all depends on the Weather Man now—and if crosses up the Illinois State Baseball league there is sure to be a host of disappointed fans and players. Tomorrow—in case you haven't heard by now—is scheduled that important play-off game in the league to determine the champions out of a three way tie involving West Brooklyn, Walton and Dixon.

With one victory pocketed last Sunday in a game with Walton here the Dixon club now invades the West Brooklyn front for the second win to put the championship cup on their mantel.

Manager George Webber of the village team will have his strongest team in the field to halt the invaders. In the outfield will be Curley Hermann in centerfield, William Grove in left field, Apple in rightfield, Glaser will be at third base, Martinkus at shortstop, Jones or Harms at second base, Young at first, Walters behind the plate and Knauer on the mound.

Dangerous Hitters

Curley Hermann, Young and Knauer are three dangerous hitters in any man's lineup. Besides being an apple-whacker, Knauer is the team's star pitcher. Young, the first sacker, is likely to break up a ball game any time he comes to bat and Hermann has been one of the star outfielders of the league all season.

Ray Walters, the popular principal of the West Brooklyn high school, is the team's catcher and a good one. Ray's work behind the plate has been a pleasure to all who have watched him.

Casey Jones, the second baseman, has been around in baseball circles for a number of years and is rated one of the best of the league's players.

Young Veteran Apple who plays rightfield is a youngster in age, but a veteran in baseball age and has been playing a steady game all year.

Martinkus at shortstop is also a veteran and has played with many teams in this part of the country. He is a hustler, has a good arm and is a top hitter. He is noted for his infield hits and all those count.

William Grove, the leftfielder, can play that position for anybody's club and be a real credit to the team. Harms, who fills in a second and first, is an excellent player with a heart and soul interest in the game.

Knauer, known throughout this area to every follower of the game, is a great ball player, a fine pitcher and also an excellent first baseman. He is a good winner and good loser—qualities which have made him popular with all the fans and league players.

Game time is set for 2:30 and if there are any doubters let them attend the game tomorrow and discover the fine material that baseball is producing in this area. The excitement today among the fans is running at white heat and a record throng is expected at the village tomorrow to watch this game which means "everything" to both teams. But somebody must lose and somebody must win—tomorrow tells the tale.

WORLEY'S NEAT BOWLING HELPS DIXON TO WIN

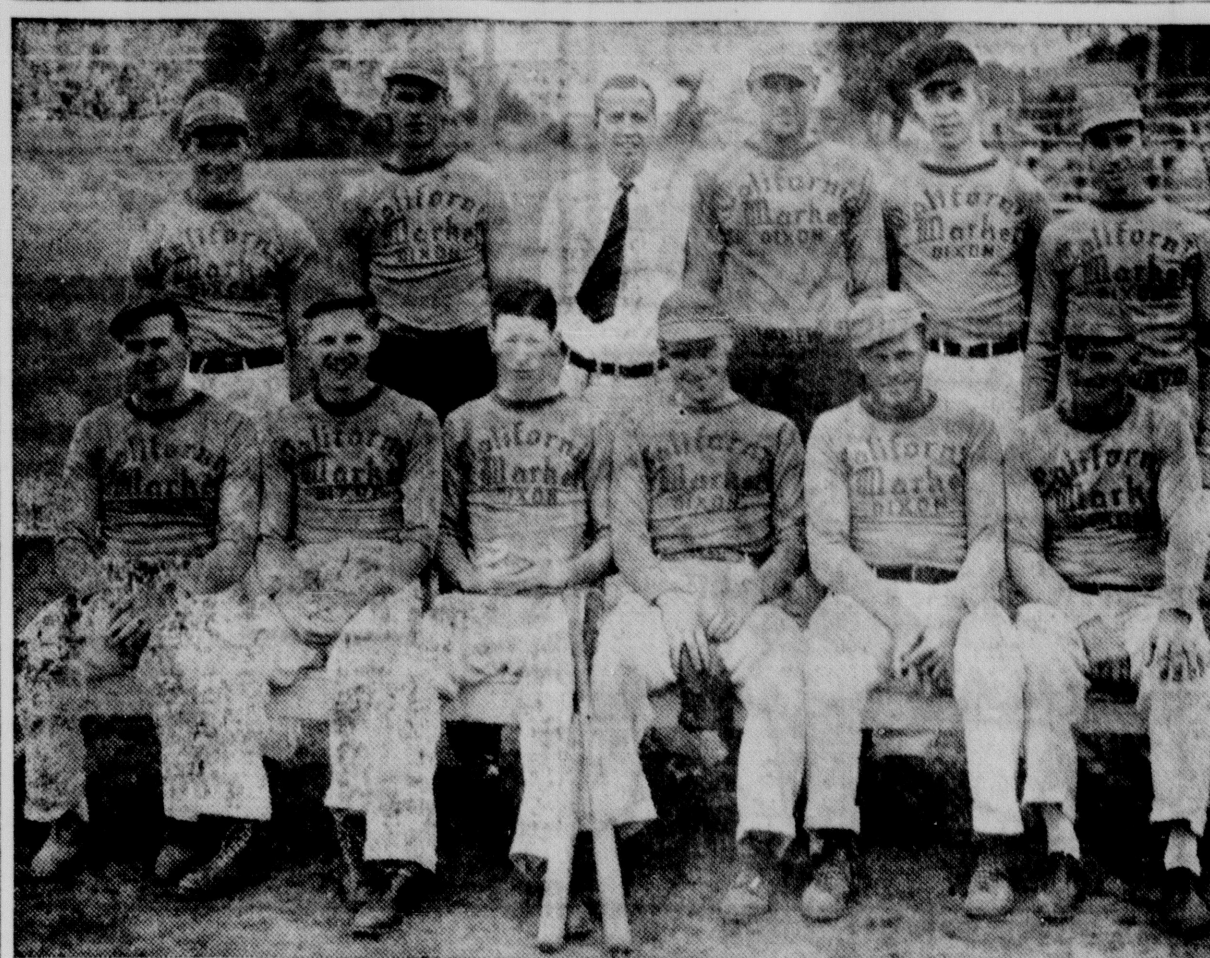
To E. Worley of the Beier's Salesmen bowling team belongs the early season honors for his score in the match game with Princeton here Thursday. His total was 684 which is fine work at any season and down anybody's alley. Kildow of Princeton came in for second honors with game total of 636. The local five defeat the visitors with a score of 2924 against 2864. Complete scores are as follows:

	Princeton	Beier's Salesmen
Gorman	176	196
Gorman	163	174
Prior	165	175
Kildow	213	222
Cole	168	221
Total	915	988

INDIANS TAKE

Des Moines, Ia.—(AP)—Even the Hopi Indians, who are regarded as being quite far removed from present-day civilization, have gone modern. They traveled to the Iowa state fair in up-to-date auto trailers.

To Meet All Stars Tomorrow Night



Pictured above are the members of the California Market team, champions of the city's softball league, who will play the All Stars tomorrow night at the Dixon Airport. Top row from left to right: Francis Henry; Lyle Bellows; Dick Thompson, sponsor; Shire Miller; Kenney Hasselberg; Roy Kuhn. Seated from left to right are: Paul Potts, manager; Al Boyd; Joy Ellis; Joe Murphy; Ernie Morris; Hi Emmert. Lee Potts, sponsor, Oscar Witzleb and Glenn Courtright were not present when the picture was taken.

How They Stand

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Pittsburgh	76	53	.589	
Chicago	74	58	.561	3 1/2
Cincinnati	73	59	.553	4 1/2
New York	72	60	.545	5 1/2
Boston	65	65	.500	11 1/2
St. Louis	65	65	.500	11 1/2
Brooklyn	60	71	.458	17
Philadelphia	42	87	.326	34

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
New York	91	41	.689	
Cleveland	75	55	.577	15
Boston	75	55	.577	15
Washington	67	64	.512	23 1/2
Chicago	65	66	.496	26 1/2
St. Louis	54	70	.435	33
Philadelphia	45	81	.357	43

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
St. Paul	87	60	.592	
Kansas City	83	64	.565	3 1/2
Milwaukee	79	68	.537	7 1/2
Cincinnati	79	73	.520	8 1/2
Minneapolis	76	72	.514	11 1/2
Toledo	77	74	.510	12 1/2
Columbus	63	88	.417	26 1/2
Louisville	53	98	.351	36 1/2

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Philadelphia 4	Boston 3			
New York 2	Washington 0			
Detroit 11	Cleveland 5			

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Chicago 4	St. Louis 2			
Brooklyn 7	New York 1			
Philadelphia 4	Boston 2			

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Toledo 3-12	Louisville 2-3			
Indianapolis 8	Columbus 3			

YESTERDAY'S HOMERS				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Greenberg (Detroit)	No. 47			
Heath (Indians)	No. 13			
McCarthy (Giants)	No. 6			

GAMES TODAY				
	W	L	Pct.	+G.B.
Cincinnati at Chicago				
Boston at Philadelphia				
Pittsburgh at St. Louis				
Brooklyn at New York				
Chicago at Detroit				
New York at Washington				
Philadelphia at Boston				
St. Louis at Cleveland				

Dixon Elks Enter Bowling League

The Dixon Elks bowling team composed of John Smith, William Nixon, Jr., Lyle Prescott, Alexander Knier and Ed Worley will bowl their first league games Monday night, September 12, at 9:00 P. M. at the newly renovated Sterling Coliseum bowling parlors.

The Sterling major league will be composed of 10 teams, games to be bowled at 7:00 and 9:00 P. M. each Monday night.

The teams are as follows: 1. Bogotti's Welders; 2. D. X. Service; 3. Chevrolet; 4. Middleton's Coca Cola; 5. Walz Lunch; 6. Logan's Service; 7. Scheller's; 8. Klocke's; 9. Dixon Elks; 10. Prince Castles.

Yesterday's Stars

(By The Associated Press) Freddy Fitzsimmons, Dodgers—Stopped Giants 7-1, with nine hits. Bill Werber, Athletics—His homer with one on base whipped Red Sox, 4-2.

Spud Davis, Phillies—Drove in three runs in 4-2 victory over Bees. Bump Hadley, Yankees—Blanked Senators 2-0, with eight hits. Clay Bryant, Cubs—Beat Cardinals, 4-2.

Hank Greenberg, Tigers—Hit homer and single, drove in three runs and scored two others in 11-5 victory over Indians.

THE SUNSHINE IN CUBS' DUGOUT IS SMILE OF GABBY

Chicago Only Three And a Half Games Out of First Place

By SID FEDER

Associated Press Sports Writer That shining sun you see popping out of the home team dugout in Wrigley Field today isn't the sun at all, brother. It's the round, happy face of your old pal Gabby the County Fair Hartnett, lit up by a smile that would make any sun look like a cold panache.

And why? Because his bear Cubs are on the prowl again. They've won six straight now, including the -2 decision Clay Bryant took from the St. Louis Cardinals yesterday, and they're closing in fast on Pittsburgh's hot-and-cold Pirates. They're 3-1-2 games back at this writing, they're taking the close ones again, and for the first time in weeks they're hitting when hits count.

For all anyone knows about this silly race, they may be the team to take advantage of the fact that for weeks the pennant has been going around begging.

Most surprising of all is that they've done it with the County Fair on the bench, shackled there with a broken finger. Hartnett, you know, wasn't supposed to be a good bench manager. They all said he could inspire his men only while on the field.

Pennant Picture

Yesterday's win, coupled with the scheduled off day for Pittsburgh and Cincinnati, and the 7-1 beating Brooklyn's doddering Dodgers pinned on the Giants, left the pennant picture in this condition:

Club	W	L	Pct.	Behind
Pittsburgh	76	53	.589	25
Chicago	74	58	.561	3 1/2
Cincinnati	73	59	.553	4 1/2
New York	72	60	.545	5 1/2

That Brooklyn victory over the Giants incidentally, was the ninth hit knuckleball work of Fat Freddy Fitzsimmons. You recall the Terrible Terry said a couple of years ago the Giants would always find a place in their organization for Fat Freddy, an old timer of the McCraw era. Then Fitz's health went bad and his pitching suffered, and first thing you know Terry had traded him "down the river." The payoff is that Terry sent \$20,000 to Brooklyn with Fitz to get Tom Baker, a yes-and-no youngster still in the minors, and now Fat Freddy has come back to pin two beatings on the Giants in seven days.

Blanked Senators

Another old time tosser who's been booted around considerably, Bump Hadley, is doing right nicely with the Yankees these days. Yesterday he pitched an eight-

NO SPEECHES ALLOWED

Saukeville, Wis.—(AP)—Saukeville folk like their band concerts "straight," so the village board has put a ban on political talks at free concerts and movies in the park.

FIREWORKS USED ON BIRDS

Indianapolis, Ind.—(AP)—Residents in one Indianapolis neighborhood obtained police permits to use fireworks to frighten starlings from their tree roosts.

A FAMILY AFFAIR

Raleigh, N. C.—(AP)—Good health runs in the Ousley family of Hartnett county. This year, 16-year-old Clifford Ousley won the award as the healthiest 4-H club boy in the state. Only last year, Clifford's brother, H. C., had won the same honor.

INCONGRUOUS QUARTERS.

Chicago.—(AP)—State's Attorney Thomas J. Courtney's gambling raiders found that horse bettors were transacting business in incongruous surroundings when they raided nine handbook quarters yesterday. Establishments whose furnishings were destroyed by the policemen's axes were found in an abandoned church, a defunct bank and a huge garage. So far, the axe men have raided 84 handbooks.

London has 145 hospitals.

EXPLANATION OF PROTECTION FOR COOLING SYSTEM

Advances in cooling-system protection which will make motoring as trouble-free for Dixon drivers this winter as it is during the present warm-weather months, saving local car owners many thousands of dollars, will be explained in detail at the Ever-ready Prestone meeting Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock, at the Elks club.

All automotive specialists, dealers and garagemen throughout this section are invited to be present as guests of the National Carbon Company. Motion pictures especially made for the National Carbon Company by the Thaw trans-African expedition, will show how Prestone performed in the greatest antifreeze testing grounds in the world, where temperatures shift between zero and 180 degrees. A humorous animated cartoon "explaning" the Prestone anti-freeze shortage of last year, a sound camera tour of the huge Prestone plant in West Virginia, an engineering film which is an ingenious combination of animated mechanical drawing and photography, and a movie featuring Jack Norworth, Roy Roberts, Jack Tyler, and other film stars will be extra entertainment and business features of the evening.

More than two years of laboratory research just completed, supplemented by thousands of miles of road tests, has finally proved that heat, not cold, is the real test of an efficient antifreeze, automobile engineers report. The constant trend toward higher engine temperatures, combined with the natural fluctuations of winter temperatures between cold and warm has indicated that only the permanent type of anti-freeze can safely be relied upon for absolute all-weather automobile protection. Anti-freeze of the boil-away type are not able to withstand the heat of the modern motor for a whole winter and consequently must be replaced and carefully watched.

Cooling system engineers will be on hand to explain the latest developments in protection of cars in winter, and all local automotive men are urged to be present.

Students to Form Court for North-Western U. Drivers

Evansville, Ill., Sept. 10.—(AP)—A student court will fix punishment this year for Northwestern University students arrested for traffic violations on the campus and in the city.

William Freeman, chief of police, proposed establishment of the student court to President Walter Dill Scott.

The court, Freeman said, will be organized at a meeting with Scott and Municipal Judge Harry Porter next week.

Scott praised the idea and said the court probably would be composed of 20 students representing various campus organizations.

Manero is Gunning For Open Golf Title

Glens Falls, N. Y., Sept. 10.—(AP)—Tony Manero is on the warpath again, gunning for the big money which has eluded him since he came from behind to beat Harry Cooper for the national open golf crown in 1936.

The smooth-stroking, genial shotmaker from Peabody, Mass., paced a star-studded international field into the second round of the \$4,000 Glens Falls open today with a scintillating 68, four under par and two strokes ahead of his nearest competitors.

Manero appeared at the top of his game and the "man to beat" for the \$1,000 first prize.

He faced stiff competition, however, for right on his heels were three-time winner Jimmy Hines of Great Neck, L. I., who has snared the last two metropolitan opens; Bobby Alston of Ottawa, Canada, former Canadian P. G. A. champion, and Lanky Joe Creavy of Bolton Landing-on-Lake George, all with 70's.

Trailing Manero by three strokes were Whackin' Sam Sneed of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.; Jack Patroni of Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.; Frank Moore of Mamaroneck, N. Y.; Sal Dibueno of Larchmont, N. Y., and Ed Oliver of Wilmington, Del.

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Alumni Slap Backs and Agree That It Looks Like a Big Year

Chicago, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Alumni slapped one another on the back and agreed "it looks like a great year," the coaches gloomily unlimbered their best bear stories and some 550 young men pranced hopefully onto football fields to usher in the 1938 western conference season today.

Installed as slight favorites by reason of possessing the championship were Minnesota's powerful Gophers—but Bernie Bierman's aggregation faces a season literally packed full of upset dynamite.

Ohio State, Northwestern, Indiana and Purdue ranked in the championship picture, with Wisconsin's Badgers and Michigan's Wolverines, a pair of "darkhorses," accorded chances of running more highly touted aggregations into the ground by the time the battle winds up in November.

Indiana May Be Strong

The Big Ten coaches won't come right

RELIGIOUS LEADER

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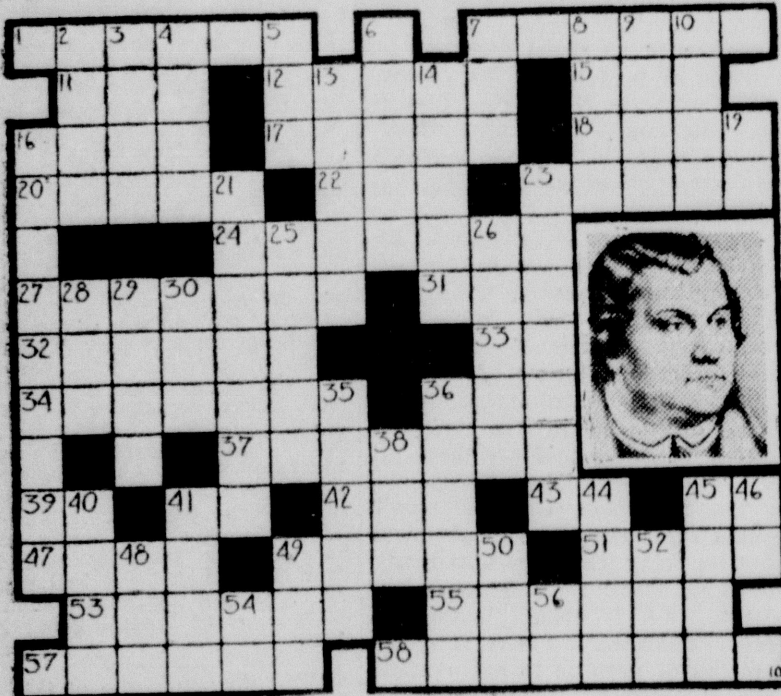
Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. Pictured religious leader
11. By way of.
12. Clay house.
15. Tune.
16. Rancid.
17. Made true.
18. High terrace.
20. Senior.
22. Constellation.
23. Yields.
24. Thicket-covered territory.
27. To mock.
31. To observe.
32. Auto shed.
33. Sun god.
34. Mangles.
36. Brooch.
37. Sewing implement.
39. Compass point.
41. Street.
42. Eggs of fishes.
43. Each.
45. Form of "be".
47. Black hawk.

VERTICAL

14. Leguminous plants.
16. He established a new (pl.).
19. Like.
21. One who reacts.
23. To clean.
25. Cubic meter.
26. Eagle's nest.
28. Blemish.
29. Metal.
30. Light brown.
35. Yellow finch.
36. Promise.
38. Dower property.
40. Otherwise.
41. Suture.
44. Maple shrub.
45. Part of a church.
46. Myself.
48. Over.
49. Male.
50. Simpleton.
52. Branch.
54. Parent.
56. Italian river.

1. CUBA
2. ONUS
3. COAT OF ARMS
4. GIRT
5. OF CUBA
6. TIVE
7. SE
8. PINNA
9. CULTS
10. R
11. GORSE
12. VIA
13. LOTTO
14. AMOK
15. DENIM
16. DEAP
17. RES
18. AES
19. NEP
20. LIS
21. NYSSA
22. W
23. NEPAL
24. OS
25. LINEATURE
26. SO
27. I
28. PAD
29. ADO
30. DAMS
31. LARGEST
32. TOURIST



SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"I wish you'd relax, dear, before you have everyone else on the cruise uneasy."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



KWZ KOPPER

ISN'T IT ROMANTIC... VENUS RIGHT OVER OUR HEADS JUST AT MIDNIGHT?

SNOW
MAY MELT AND FALL AS RAIN, BUT RAINDROPS DO NOT CHANGE INTO SNOW, WHICH CONDENSES FROM WATER VAPOR.

IN WHAT LATITUDE CAN THIS HAPPEN?

ANSWER: It cannot happen anywhere on earth. Venus, being near the sun, must set in the late afternoon or early evening. It cannot set earlier than three hours before the sun, nor later than three hours after.

L'L ABNER



By AL CAPP

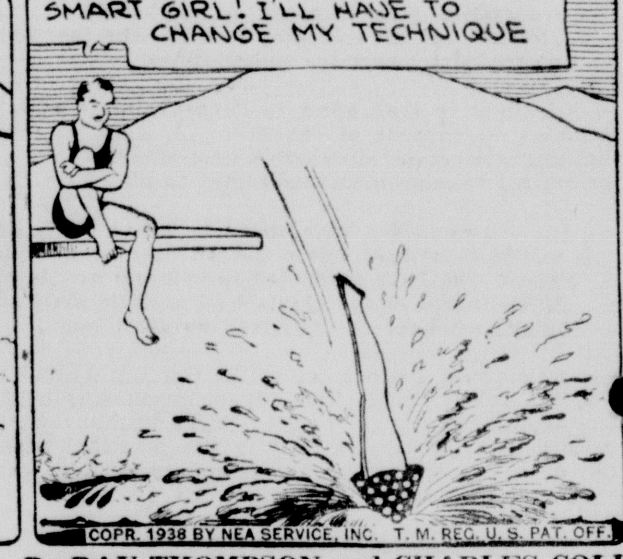
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Try Again, Chelsea



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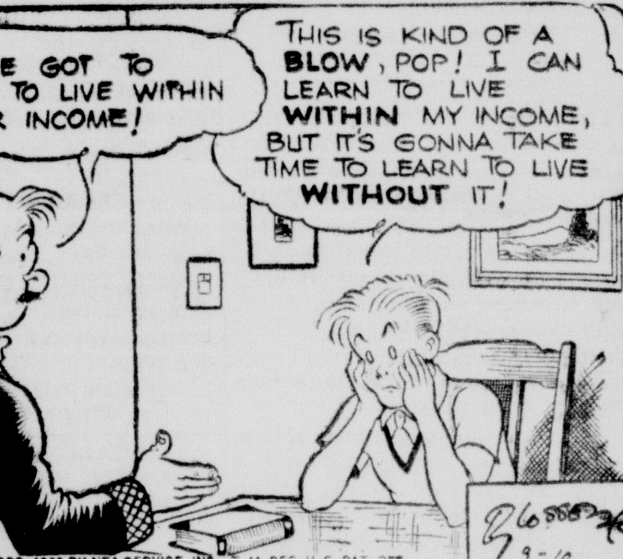
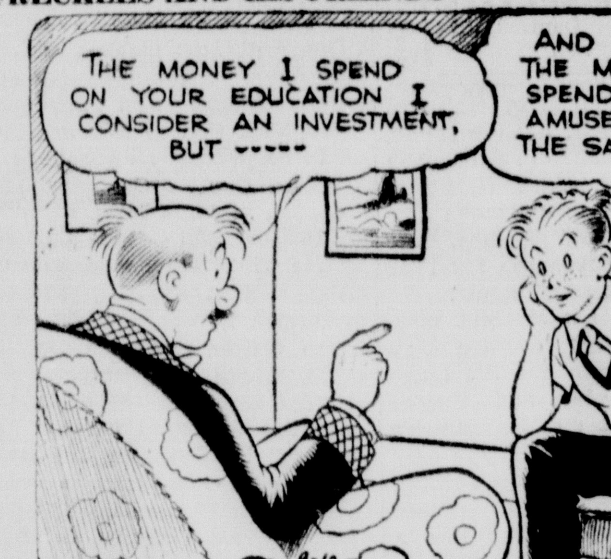
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

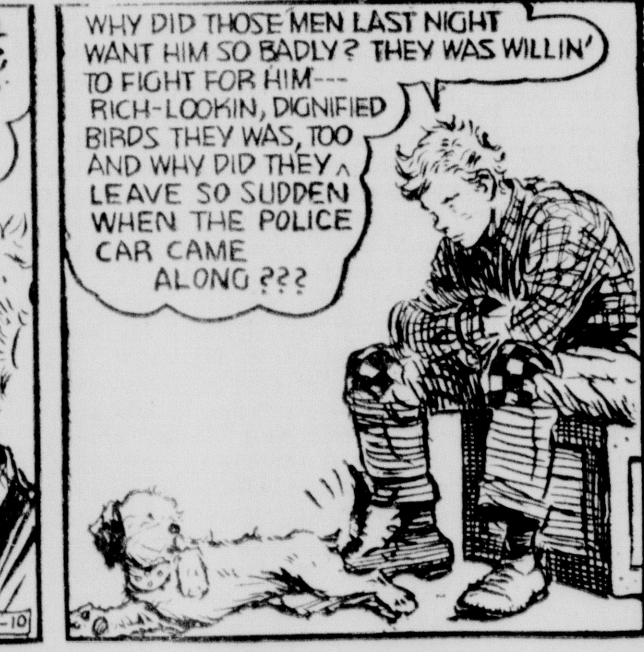
This is Really Tough



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ABBIE an' SLATS

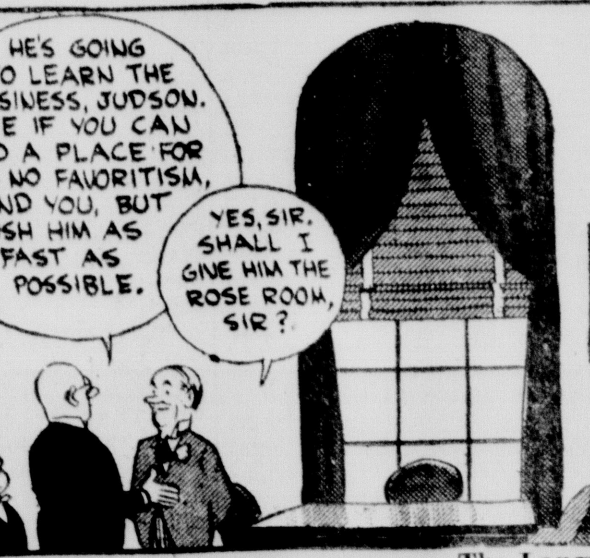
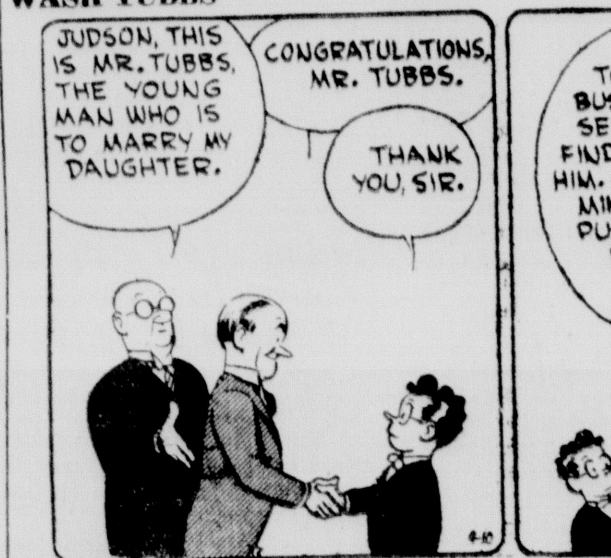
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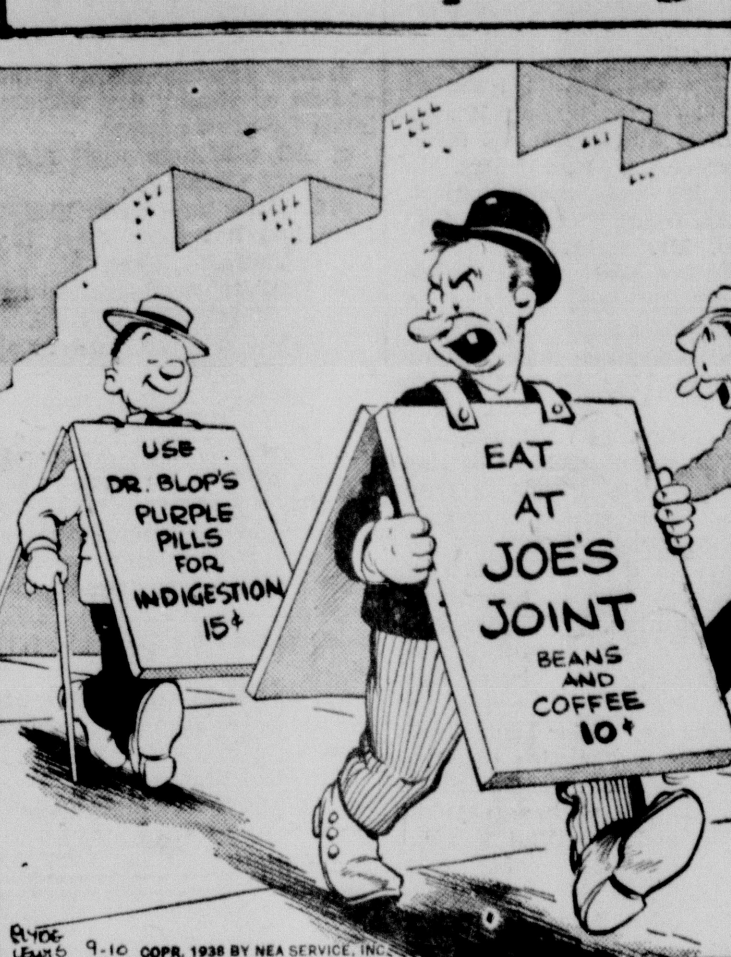
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Plainfield, Ill., Sept. 10—(AP)—Rain forced postponement today of the sixty-fourth renewal of the Wheatland plowing match, oldest farm contest in the middle-west. Officials said the event would be held Monday.

Long before the contest was called off, however, a score of chugging tractors, pulling polished plows, had arrived on the Martin Fry farm, near here, to renew the annual competition.

Defending his title of champion plowman of the world, the reward for triumphing in the prize winner's class, Orvis Schroyer of Lily Lake, had two former champions, Carl Hageman and Homer Lapp among his opponents.

John Chrissie, of Aurora, a young man from the city, whose father sells farm implements, winner of the men's class last year, was pitted against a number of young farmers.

Farmer Fry figured he would have considerable of his fall plowing done by experts.

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7:00 Prof. Quiz—WBBM
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7:30 Rhythm Orch.—WBBM

8:00 The Crickets—WMAQ
Hit Parade—WBBM

8:30 Songs That Live—WLS
Plantation Party—WGN

9:00 Count Basie's Orch.—WBBM
Hil Monroe's Orch.—WIND
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9:30 Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN
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10:00 Rudy Vallee's Orch.—WGN
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The Gloaming—WIND

11:00 Glenn Grey's Orch.—WBBM
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SUNDAY

Morning

6:00 Church of the Air—WBBM
Dr. Frederick Stamm—WMAQ

6:30 Russian Melodies—WCFB
Happy Go Lucky Time—WJJD

7:00 Wings Over Jordan—WBBM
Little Brown Church—WLS

7:30 Dreams—WCFB
The Pine Tavern—WMAQ

8:00 Happy Go Lucky Time—WJJD

10:00 Southernaires—WLS
Hit Review—WCFB

10:30 Varieties—WCFB
Salt Lake City Tabernacle—WBBM

11:00 Shakespearian Drama—WMAQ
Radio City Music Hall—WBBM

11:30 Back Home, drama—WBBM
Men With Wings—WGN

The Round Lake Funster—WBBM

Afternoon

12:00 Magic Key—WBBM
Kidodlers—WMAQ

1:00 Everybody's Music—WOC
Himber's Orch.—WBBM

1:30 Horse and Buggy Days—WBBM

2:00 Sunday Drivers—WMAQ
Choral Society—WMAQ

2:30 Sunday Vespers—WBBM
Strange As It Seems—WMAQ

3:00 Baseball, Cul. Cincinnati—WBBM
WGN, WJJD, WJJD

3:30 The World Is Yours—WMAQ
Marion Talley—WMAQ

4:00 There Was a Woman—WBBM
3:30 Cook's Almanac—WBBM

4:30 Spelling Bee—WMAQ
The Master Builder—WBBM

4:45 Music for Fun—WBBM
Catholic Hour—WMAQ

5:00 A Tale of Today—WMAQ
Laugh Line—WBBM

5:30 Hobby Lobby—WMAQ
The People's Platform—WBBM

5:45 Handwagon—WMAQ
Bandwagon—WMAQ

6:00 Potpourri—WOC

6:30 Charlie McCarthy—WMAQ
Re-creation of today's ball game—WIND

6:45 Mercury Theater—WBBM
Songs We Remember—WLS

7:00 Manhattan Merry-Go-Round—WMAQ
Win Your Lady—WBBM

7:30 Walter Winchell—WBBM
American Album of Familiar Music—WMAQ

7:45 Irene Rich—WBBM
Good Will Hour—WGN

8:00 Heidi's Brigadiers—WBBM
Headlines and By-Lines—WBBM

8:30 Round Table—WMAQ
Globe Trotter—WBBM

9:00 Vincent Lopez—WBBM
Will Osborn's Orch.—WBBM

9:30 Plind's Orch.—WCFB
Glenn Grey's Orch.—WBBM

10:00 Little Jack Little's Orch.—WGN

10:30 My Salles' Orch.—WBBM
Bob Crosby's Orch.—WGN

11:00 Clyde McCoy's Orch.—WMAQ
Nite Watch—WIND

MONDAY

Morning

7:00 Breakfast Club—WCFB
Musical Clock—WBBM

7:30 Girl Interne—WBBM
Whistler and His Dog—WMAQ

8:00 Hawaiian Melodies—WIND
Linda's First Love—WBBM

8:30 Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch—WMAQ
Pretty Kitty Kelly—WBBM

9:00 Just Neighbors—WCFB
John's Other Wife—WMAQ

9:30 Myrt and Marge—WBBM
Your Favorite Band—WIND

10:00 Hilltop House—WBBM
Just Plain Bill—WMAQ

10:30 Josh Higgins—WCFB
Woman in White—WMAQ

11:00 Stepmother—WBBM
Ma Perkins—WLS

11:30 David Harum—WMAQ
Story of Mary Martin—WLS

12:00 Heart of Julia Baker—WBBM
Originalities—WCFB

12:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Vic and Sade—WLS

1:00 Bachelor's Children—WGN
Editor's Daughter—WBBM

1:30 Copper Young's Family—WLS
Big Sister—WBBM

2:00 Story of the Month—WCFB
Aunt Jenny's Stories—WBBM

2:30 The Road of Life—WMAQ
Painted Dreams—WGN

3:00 Echoes of Hawaii—WCFB
Mary McBride—WBBM

3:30 Dan Harding's Wife—WMAQ
Bureau of Missing Persons—WJJD

4:00 The O'Neills—WMAQ
Farm and Home Hour—WMAQ

4:30 Romance of Helen Trent—WBBM
Our Gal Sunday—WBBM</

Ashton News of the Day

By Mrs. W. H. Yenerich, Phone 119

CHURCH NEWS

Evangelical Church

Rev. Parke O. Bailey, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.

Worship hour, 10:20 A. M.

The Mission Band meeting will be held next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. F. H. Boyd, the mission band leader is anxious to have all members present. Plans are being made for the summer Christmas tree party to be held next Saturday afternoon, Sept. 17. Public Thank-offering service on Sunday evening at 7:30. The W. M. S. will have charge of the program and Miss Hazel Messer, missionary to India will be the speaker. There will also be special music. No one should miss the hours of service on the Lord's Day. Welcome with us.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. F. Louis Grafton, Pastor

Sunday school, 9 A. M.

Morning worship, 9:50 A. M.

Prayer meeting each Thursday evening at 7:30.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Rev. F. W. Henke, Pastor

Divine worship with sermon at 10:30 A. M. Sermon subject: "Christ Descended into Hell."

Sermon text, 1 Peter 3:18-20.

For fifteen hundred years the Christian church has been repeating this clause in the Apostle's Creed: "He descended into hell." Recently some have omitted this clause from the creed. We who confess them, have we a definite idea of what they might mean? The sermon is intended to give you enlightenment on this subject. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 A. M. Lesson: "Saul, Moral Failure."

Methodist Church

Rev. Ralph M. Dreger, Pastor

Sunday school, 9 A. M.

Morning worship, 10 A. M.

Epworth League, 6 P. M.

The sermon topic for Sunday morning will be: "The Stars in Their Courses."

All Leaguers should plan to attend the meeting Sunday evening. The annual election of officers will take place.

Tuesday evening, Sept. 13 at 8 o'clock the Queen Esther will meet at the home of Mrs. Orpha Knapp. The assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Rowena Bresson, Miss Winnogene Knapp and Mrs. O. K. Thompson.

Starting this coming Sunday the bulletins are to be used for the worship service. All announcements should be handed or telephoned to the pastor by Friday evening of each week for the following period of Sunday to Sunday.

Reynolds Evangelical Church

Rev. George A. Walter, Pastor

Sunday school, Henry Wagner, superintendent, 9:30 A. M.

Morning worship, 10:30 A. M.

Next week on Tuesday is the big event of the church. The chicken-noodle supper will be served by the women of the church. Serving will begin at 5 o'clock. No event carries with it an evening of finer fellowship, than does this one. Come and enjoy the evening with the Reynolds folk.

A district group rally is to be held in the Malta church on Sunday, Sept. 11. The Reynolds W. M. S. belongs to this group. The afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock.

ling. Amos Garland is the manager of the George Long tavern. The annual reunion of the Knoll family was held on Labor Day with a picnic dinner at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knoll Jr., and two children. Those who came to enjoy the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knoll Sr., and daughter Rita of Minonk. Mr. and Mrs. John Knoll and Walter Knoll of Springfield, Carl Knoll, wife and daughter Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dugan and baby and Mark Knoll of Sterling, Josephine Knoll of Chicago and Ted Knoll, wife and three children from here.

Born, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Johnson at their home, recently. The Walnut high school opened on Monday with thirty freshmen registered. There will be three from here, Irene Kihlstrom, June Bundy and Fred Scheffler Jr., and Betty Bundy, who will be a sophomore.

Mrs. Thomas Mannion delightfully entertained a number of friends on Friday afternoon at her home in Sterling. Mrs. James Ryan of Dixon, who had been visiting in the Mannion home for a few days, was the honored guest. Tables were set up for 500, with Mrs. Thomas Mannion and Mrs. William O'Brien sharing the honors, the former winning high prize and the latter consolation award. After a very tempting luncheon, the guests departed for their homes, voting Mrs. Mannion and Mrs. Ryan royal entertainers. The ladies from here were Mrs. Thomas Mannion, Mrs. George Glaser, Mrs. Roman Malach, Mrs. Lloyd Considine, and Mrs. William O'Brien.

The children who are going to school in St. Mary's and Community high in Sterling attended the Mass of the Holy Ghost which was celebrated Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock in St. Mary's Catholic church. Rev. Father John Smith celebrated the mass, seeking divine guidance during the school year. It is an annual custom that the students of both St. Mary's grade and Community high schools attend this mass on the opening day of school. Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin were callers in Amboy the fore part of the week. Edward Hermes and daughter Miss Frances motored to Chicago on Wednesday. Mr. Hermes consulted an eye specialist. Mrs. Emmet Root and two children of Minneapolis, Minn., accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Byrnes motored to Amboy on Saturday afternoon and were entertained with supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Long.

Rural schools in the vicinity of Harmon have started the new term with the following teachers: Kelly school, Frances Hermes, teacher; Stott school, Cecelia Blackburn, teacher; Mannion school, Mrs. Frank Garland of Sterling, teacher; Lyons school, Miss Elaine Kranov, teacher; King school, Mrs. Dorothy Shipper, teacher; Scully school near Ohio, Mrs. Benjamin Jeneblanc, teacher; Rock school, Miss Jane O'Connell, teacher; Carbaugh school, Miss Mary McCormick, teacher; Leevan school, Mrs. Roman Malach, teacher; Miss Irene Long will teach near Tampico; Lake school, Mrs. Raymond Lally, teacher; Merchant school, Mrs. Will Kranov, teacher; John Blackburn will teach the same school as last year, near Ohio.

A marriage license has been issued recently in Bureau county to Frank Skully of Harmon and Edith Delhotal of Ohio.

Born, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Pierce of 1092 Avenue K, Sterling, at their home, Sept. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Wolfe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wolfe and children were among the 140 members who attended the annual Grobe family reunion in the Grobe park north of Sterling on Sunday. A delicious picnic dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour, after which a short program was given. The afternoon was spent in visiting and the younger children played games.

Evelyn, Lois and Bob Struburger have returned to their home in Peoria after a pleasant vacation here with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Winkie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mulford and family have moved their household furnishings to Sterling, where they will reside with Mrs. Mulford's mother, Mrs. Mary Garland. The Mulfords were given a farewell party on Friday evening when friends and relatives joined in cards and dancing, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. George E. Ross very delightfully entertained the members of the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church in her home on Thursday afternoon.

Emmet Root arrived here Saturday evening from Minneapolis, Minn., to join his wife and family in visiting relatives and friends over the week end. Early Monday morning they motored to Rock-

ford where they made a short visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bartel and family, later leaving for their home in Minneapolis.

The Fitzpatrick families held their reunion last Sunday at the Pines state park, with a large number present. At noon a tempting picnic dinner was enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. P. D. Fitzpatrick and son Eugene of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fitzpatrick and family, Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fitzpatrick and family of Beardstown, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fitzpatrick and family and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fitzpatrick of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fitzpatrick and daughters of Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lauer and family of Oregon, Mrs. Joseph McCaffrey and children of Walton, Miss Mary O'Rourke of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bauer of Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn and children of Harmon and Wayne Dennis of South Dakota. Those unable to be present were David Fitzpatrick Jr., who is with the marines in California, Miss Bernice Fitzpatrick, R. N., of Aurora, Mrs. Lillian Zimmerman, R. N., of Kentucky, Miss Lorraine Lauer of Chicago, Rev. Eugene Lauer of St. Bede's college, Peru and Sister Mary Celestine of the Benedictine Order, of Nauvoo. The next reunion will be held at Lowell park near Dixon with Mr. and Mrs. Will Fitzpatrick as host and hostess. This year's host and hostess were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lauer of Oregon.

A large crowd from here motored to Maytown and attended the Labor Day homecoming. The chicken dinner and supper were attended by over 1000 persons, and the dance in the evening was enjoyed by many. The ball games

in the afternoon drew a very large crowd. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zentz were callers in Amboy on Saturday evening.

Dorothy Vaessen and Lavin Brooks will attend high school in Dixon for the coming term.

Polo Affairs of Today

Mrs. Maude Reed, Reporter. 'Phone 59-Y

Chairman of the Flower show, Mrs. E. M. Clinton, in connection with the fall festival Sept. 15 and 16 announces the following lists and classifications:

1. Any amateur flower grower of Polo or vicinity may enter exhibits for prize awards.

2. All exhibitors shall furnish their own containers.

3. Exhibits shall be at the Polo town hall not later than 10:30 A. M., Thursday, Sept. 15.

4. Exhibits shall remain until 9:30 P. M., Friday, Sept. 16.

5. Green may be used in any flower arrangement.

6. Specimen exhibits shall contain natural foliage only.

7. Prize ribbons will be awarded where exhibits warrant such awards.

Classifications are as follows:

Exhibit I. Best single specimen: Class 1 aster, class 2 dahlia, class

3 gladiolus, class 4 lily, class 5 petunia, class 6 phlox, class 7 rose, class 8 zinnia, class 9 coccinella, class 10 passion flower.

Exhibit II. Three best specimens of any garden flower.

Exhibit III. Best display of garden flowers of any variety, each variety to be judged separately.

Exhibit IV. Best mixed bouquet for living room: class 1, in basket; class 2, in bowl; class 3, in vase.

Exhibit V. Best mixed bouquet for dinner table: class 1, in basket; class 2, in bowl; class 3, in vase.

Exhibit VI. Best mixed bouquet for breakfast table: class 1, in basket; class 2, in bowl; class 3, in vase.

Exhibit VII. Class 1, large arrangement featuring color in large containers using flowers, golden yellow through orange to scarlet predominating. Class 2 medium arrangement using flowers appropriate to silver anniversary. Class 3, small arrangement using flowers sun red, through magenta to violet blue.

Exhibit VIII. Arranged in bowl,

or basket: class 1, nasturtiums; class 2, pansies; class 3, roses.

Exhibit IX. Class 1, best wild flower bouquet; class 2, best shrub or berry display; class 3, artistic arrangement of herbs and mints; class 4, unusual bouquets.

Exhibit X. Class 1, most artistic center piece of vegetables or fruit; class 2, best display of gourds; class 3, vegetable doll or animal exhibit.

Exhibit XI. Class 1, cut or growing foliage plants; class 2, potted plants; class 3, unusual plants.

Exhibit XII. Wallpockets.

SAME DAY: DIFFERENT PLAN

Lawrenceburg, Ind.—(AP)—

Mr. and Mrs. George Hurd's twin sons have the same birth date, but different birth places. One was born in the Hurd home. Then Mrs. Hurd was rushed to a Cincinnati hospital and the second son was born there.

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